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## THE WEATHER

MONROE: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; highest temperature Friday near 88.  
ARKANSAS: Fair tonight and Friday; little temperature change.

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FOR MONROE:  
Adequate Sanitary Sewerage  
Restocking Fishing Streams  
Municipal Civic Center  
City Beautification Program

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## Fair Enough WESTBROOK PEGLER

I hope you can stand a little more treatment of the subject of the Hod-Carriers' and Common Laborers' Union, because this incredible racket is holding its first convention in St. Louis this week and I want to direct attention to this his-toric event.

I have just been studying the constitution and some of my accumulated notes on the hod-carriers and it is almost impossible to believe that anyone can have the effrontry to de-scribe as a "gain" for American workers the compulsion which has been put upon them by the national government to become faceless, voiceless serfs in this inner empire of the American republic. It would be utterly impossible to believe if it were not an admitted fact and if we did not know that countless citizens have been compelled to pay from \$10 to \$50 to this organization as an initiation fee, failing which they could not get work on defense projects or other tax-supported government construction and might have to become public charges on relief or WPA.

This union was organized in 1903 and held several conventions up to 1911, when the boys met in Scranton and elected Dominick D'Alessandro of Quincy, Mass., president. In all the 30 years since then the officers have put their heads together and filled all vacancies in the official governing list known as the executive board. D'Alessandro died in 1926 and the executive board elected Joseph Victor Moreschi president. The board has been self-evident and self-perpetuating all this time and death has been the only cause of vacancies.

The constitution is almost as comic and as terrifying in its brutal contempt for the rights of American citizens as that of Jimmy Petrillo's Musicians' union which contains a clause empowering him to cancel any part of the constitution or all of it and substitute his own will as the governing force. The hod-carriers constitution entrusts the governing power to the executive board, but doesn't even trouble to say who shall compose this board, although in practice it is composed of Moreschi, the president, Achilles Persson, the secretary-treasurer, and six vice-presidents.

Persson was elected at the Scranton convention, but he is the only national officer who ever was elected and he has never been re-elected since, because no elections have been held. The constitution provides that the elections shall be held at the conventions which shall be called every five years but, of course, if there are no conventions there are no elections and the bosses just carry over.

The constitution says the headquarters shall be in Quincy, Mass., "and cannot be removed therefrom only by a general vote of the local unions or delegates in convention assembled." Whether that is an error of grammar or an intentional trick I can't say but, anyway, the national headquarters was moved to Washington in April, 1940.

Every five years Persson is supposed

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## BIG PIPELINE NOW FINISHED

Will Supply Fuel For Industries In Alabama And Georgia

The Southern Natural Gas company's new pipeline between Logansport and Perryville, is completed, according to William von Phul, Jr., chief engineer for Ford, Bacon and Davis construction engineers, who have been engaged in this construction job. The line is to furnish natural gas supply for industrial plants located in Alabama and Georgia.

This line has cost approximately 100 million dollars and was being constructed in record time, the work being initiated only last April.

The pipeline is a 14-inch one throughout and will be one of the highest pressure lines in the United States, having from 12 to 14 hundred pounds pressure at all times.

## ICKES TO CONTINUE GASOLINE CURFEW

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(P)—Secretary of Interior Ickes, the defense petroleum coordinator, declared today the rationing of gasoline and the filling station curfew would continue in the east, despite a finding by a Senate committee that there was no oil shortage and that present restrictions should be lifted.

"To take off all restrictions now, and yell 'come and get it,'" Ickes declared, "would be stupid."

In his first press conference since the committee wound up its oil investigation September 11, the coordinator said the problem of an oil shortage did exist, and he cited figures to show that for the week ending September 13 gasoline stocks on the east coast dropped 565,000 barrels.

"Our east coast gasoline stocks now," he reported, "are about 2,700,000 barrels, or 12.5 per cent less than they were at the same time last year. East coast gasoline demand, on the other hand, during 1941 is about 11 per cent higher than during 1940."

MOVING TOWARD TURKEY  
ANKARA, Sept. 17 (Delayed).—A diplomatic observer arriving from Syria reported today that the British were moving artillery and other military units northward toward the Turkish border in a constant stream. He declined to estimate the total movement.

# TURKISH AND BULGARIAN WAR LOOMS

## U. S. LAUNCHES HUNT FOR NAZI SURFACE RAIDERS

### Craft Believed Operating Near Galapagos Islands In Pacific

### CONVOYS IN SERVICE Every Method Will Be Used To Protect Craft With War Aid Goods

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(P)—With convoys plowing the Atlantic and a grim raider hunt on in the Pacific, the United States navy let actions do the talking back today to repeated axis threats of dire consequences.

When Germany believed there was a possibility of convoys months ago, no less a person than Grand Admiral Erich Raeder openly warned the United States that the Reich would consider such a step "an open war act" and that the German navy would use its guns if necessary against American warships on such duty.

But all uncertainty on the question of American convoys was dissipated late yesterday when Navy Secretary Knox disclosed that the Atlantic fleet was using all methods, convoys included, to safeguard British-bound lease-lend cargoes in the 2,000 miles of the North Atlantic that are regarded as "defensive waters."

The navy chief thought it "unwise and indiscreet" to go into further details, and he declined to answer a question as to whether the American escorts were turning over the pro-

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## U. S. THREATENS TO SEIZE SHIPS TIED BY STRIKE

### Action Results In Hurried Conference Of Operators And Seamen

By Associated Press  
The A. F. L. Seafarers International union rejected today a maritime commission ultimatum to arbitrate a war-hire dispute and threatened a general strike and coastwise and intercoastal shipping.

A spokesman for the union announced this in New York, following a hurried conference at Weehawken, N. J., of union representatives and the owners of 11 strike-bound ships.

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## STATE FIREMEN TO MEET HERE

### More Than 500 Expected To Attend Annual Convention Next Week

A registration of more than 500 persons is expected at the 36th annual convention of the Louisiana State Firemen's association, which opens here next Tuesday morning. Chief Frank Roddy of the Monroe fire department said yesterday.

Captain Granville Conway of the commission said he had set noon as the deadline for action on the disputants.

Seven of the vessels are in New York harbor, two in New Orleans and one each at Boston and Mobile. They are owned by the Alcoa, Calmar, Rob in and Waterman lines.

The Seafarers International union (A. F. L.) called a strike Saturday, demanding increases above the present \$60-a-month war bonuses paid by some lines for trips to war-manned waters. The seamen and the ship owners thus far have failed to arbitrate their differences.

Admiral Emory S. Land, maritime commission chairman, issued the arbitration ultimatum after the union had rejected his appeal to keep working while the controversy was ironed out.

A. F. L. sailors on the Pacific coast were reported ready to join in the walkout today unless shipping companies met their demands.

A strike of A. F. L. electricians continued at Kansas City, but the Miss-

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### CLAIMS PRESIDENT STRIVING FOR WAR

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 18.—(P)—Senator Burton K. Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, said last night that President Roosevelt's recent shooting orders to the United States navy indicate he is "doing everything humanly possible" to get this country into the European war.

Wheeler added that the shooting orders tended to confirm rumors that Prime Minister Winston Churchill told the president, during their recent conference at sea, that England would have to make peace unless the United States came into the war with its navy within 60 days.

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## Text Of Big Money Request

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(P)—The following is the text of President Roosevelt's lend-lease letter today to Speaker Rayburn and the text of the budget director's letter on the same subject:

The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir:

I have transmitted to the congress the second report of operations under the lend-lease act. This report indicates the increasing amount of material aid we are rendering to the democracies.

Of the \$7,000,000 appropriated six months ago, aid in the amount of \$6,280,000 is now moving through the successive stages of allocation, obligation, production, and delivery. Additional funds are now needed in order that there be no interruption in the flow of aid to those countries whose defense is vital to our own.

I am, therefore, transmitting a supplemental estimate of appropriation in the amount of \$5,985,000, details of which are set forth in the accompanying letter from the director of the bureau of the budget. I recommend its speedy enactment.

Respectfully,

(Signed) FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

Budget Director Harold D. Smith's letter, dated September 13, follows:

Sir:

I have the honor to submit for your consideration a supplemental esti-

mate of appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act entitled "An Act to Promote the Defense of the United States," approved March 11, 1941, in the amount of \$5,985,000,000, as follows:

Defense Aid

To enable the president, through such departments or agencies of the government as he may designate, further to carry out the provisions of an act to promote the defense of the United States, and for each and every purpose incident thereto, including all necessary expenses in connection therewith, namely:

(A) For the procurement, by manufacture or otherwise, of defense articles, information and services, for the government of any country whose defense the president deems vital to the defense of the United States, and the disposition thereof, including all necessary expenses in connection therewith, as follows:

1. Ordnance and ordnance stores, spare parts, and materials, including armor and ammunition and components thereof, \$1,190,000,000.

2. Aircraft and aerial material, including engines, spare parts, and accessories, \$685,000,000.

3. Tanks, armored cars, automobiles, trucks, and other automotive vehicles, spare parts, and accessories, \$385,000,000.

4. Vessels, ships, boats, and other water-craft, including the hire or temporary use thereof, and equipment supplies, materials, spare parts, and accessories, \$850,000,000.

5. Miscellaneous military and naval equipment, supplies, and materials, \$155,000,000.

6. Facilities and equipment for the manufacture, production or operation of defense articles and for otherwise carrying out the purposes of the act of March 11, 1941, including the acquisition of land, and the maintenance and operation of such facilities and equipment, \$375,000,000.

7. Agricultural, industrial, and other

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1. Next biggest of the subdivisions was \$1,190,000,000 for ordnance and ordnance stores of various kinds, including armor and ammunition. For planes and aeronautical material, including engines, parts and accessories, it was suggested that \$685,000,000 be laid down.

2. One stipulation contemplated in the draft of the legislation sent along by the budget bureau would forfeit any of the lend-lease funds to pay any person who advocates, or belongs to an organization which advocates, the overthrow of the United States government "by force or violence."

3. An affidavit would be considered prima facie evidence that the person making it was not such an advocate.

The measure also would let the president authorize contracts with foreign governments for the United States to supply them with defense articles, information or services, which would be paid by these governments.

This would apply to any country whose defense the president deems vital to the defense of this nation.

If the chief executive considered any defense article covered by the act to be necessary for the defense of this country, it could be retained rather than handed over to a foreign government.

Other specific items in the budget bureau's breakdown were:

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Testing or repairing defense items.

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1. The air task force interceptor net appealed to civilian ground spotters in Louisiana and Texas today to intensify their voluntary work by masking certain to report all aircraft over the army's flash communications setup.

2. Of a flight of 24 aircraft on a round trip between Beaumont, Tex., and Lake Charles, La., not a single one was reported," said Brigadier-General William Ord Ryan, Interceptor commander.

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The new ruler, European-educated Mohammed Shah Pahlavi, also has prepared a general amnesty decree for all political prisoners of the regime of his abdicated father, it was announced.

The former shah, Reza Pahlavi, a one-time Cossack cavalryman, reportedly was the richest man in Asia when he gave up his throne this week because he would not play ball with Britain and Russia. The allies accused him of aiding the axis.

Almost all of Mazanderan province was his private holding, and the revenue from monopolies, hotels, motor transport and many kinds of stores and factories bulged the royal purse.

Vast sums were banked in his name in the United States and England.

This great wealth was amassed as he was modernizing the ancient Persian kingdom, installing modern methods of production and transportation wherever possible.

Seizure of Reza Pahlavi's property was actually decided upon at a secret parliamentary session prior to the taking of the oath yesterday by the new shah who promised to rule as a constitutional monarch.

The former shah's account of 27,000,000 tomans in the national bank were immediately attached to pay government salaries. The new government's program to reduce unnecessary taxation, trim the budget and abolish the corrupt sale of state property to private individuals was approved.

The British legation said it had received authority from London to receive

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1. Following a meeting of most of the Old Regular ward leaders in the mayor's private office yesterday, Maestri told reporters "You can say that I will be a candidate for reelection."

The Old Regulars were to caucus at 2 p.m. and after the expected nomination of Maestri, political circles said, the mayor would issue a formal statement on his candidacy.

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Maestri, one of the original backers of the late Huey P. Long, was commissioner of conservation in the Long regime from 1929 to August 17, 1936. On the latter date he was sworn in as mayor after his only opponent withdrew before a primary date was set.

Other announced candidates for the office are Paul H. Maloney, Sr., who resigned his post as collector of internal revenue, effective October 1.

James H. Crutcher, state WPA administrator, today announced appointment of Major W. H. Bartlett, formerly divisional commander of the Salvation Army, as head of the WPA recreation program in Louisiana. He will assume his new duties on October 1.

Major Bartlett, on a year's leave of absence from the Salvation Army, succeeded John A. Zimmerman, who recently became regional representative of the National Catholic Communi-

cation service.

Montana's senior senator, in an interview, said he is now convinced the people of the United States "must read the London newspapers" to find out what the Roosevelt administration is going to do about the war.

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# SOCIETY

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## Patriotic Group Plan Defense Work

A Study Of The United States Will Feature D. A. R. Program For This Year

A salute to the flag by members of Fort Miro Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution when they met for the first time this season at their chapter house, inaugurated the year's program featuring a study of the United States. We are reminded at this time when patriotic women are making valuable contributions to the defense program that it was just 154 years ago this month that 39 Americans after tolling and debating for three months in Independence hall at Philadelphia, heeded a humorous appeal from Benjamin Franklin, put aside differences of opinion, and signed the constitution of the United States.

This seems a most opportune time to memorize (if you haven't already done so) the preamble to the Constitution—"We, the people of the United States in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution of the United States of America."

Mrs. W. H. McGee, chaplain, led the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison by those present.

Mrs. Clarence E. Faulk, speaker of the afternoon, gave an interesting review of her travels through the New England states this past summer. She also talked on things of historic nature of special interest to this group of women.

Mrs. Elmer Slagle, Red Cross chairman, outlined a course of work mapped out by national Red Cross. During the social hour the hostesses, Mrs. W. E. Leigh, Mrs. J. C. Liner, Mrs. Joseph Renwick, Mrs.

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A capacity enrollment of cadets reported for instruction when Jefferson Military College, Washington, Miss., entered upon its one hundred and thirty-ninth year of successful operation.

Cadets reported from eight states: Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Arizona, Missouri and Texas, and also three foreign countries: Cuba, British Honduras and Venezuela. Those reporting from Monroe are:

Junior Cadet George A. Hollingsworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hollingsworth; First Lieutenant Hunter Deeme Mullis, son of Mrs. Mary Mullis; William B. Jackson, son of Mr. "Bill" Jackson; Hubert Clark Weatherly, West Monroe; James Edward McElveen, brother of Mrs. W. E. LaBorde; and Joseph Richard Smith, son of Mrs. Genevieve Smith.

All day Tuesday and Wednesday cadets were busy securing their service uniforms, arranging their classroom work and learning something of the military routine and discipline that is a major part of the school's instruction. The hardest job for the new cadet is learning how to make his bed according to regulation.

The first call for football practice was held with thirty-five candidates reporting.

Kent Steele Hamm, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Hamm is convalescing from a recent tonsillectomy at the Vaughan-Wright-Bendel clinic.

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Dressed and Sliced Catfish, lb. . . . . 35c

Private Carl F. Lunstrom, of Chicago, who is stationed in Monroe during war maneuvers in Louisiana, entertained members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church when they met for their regular program meeting on Tuesday. Three numbers were beautifully rendered by Private Lunstrom.

Mrs. E. P. Cudd, program leader, read passages from the scriptures. Mrs. E. C. Gibson read beautiful poem and Mrs. C. V. Sanders talked on the subject of "The Power of the Woman in the Church."

Mrs. William Woods discussed "Family and Church Life," and Mrs. E. B. Handley talked on the subject of "Making the Church a Social Force."

The subject of Mrs. W. C. Honeycutt's talk was "Church and Finance," and Mrs. Grayson Guthrie, Jr., selected for the subject of her talk, "Being a Christian Mother."

## FOR THE LOVE OF PAM

By VIVIEN GREY

YESTERDAY: In spite of her prejudice against the idle sons of the rich who infest Key West in the winter, Pam Quellerton has accepted Jerry Winthrop's invitation for a tea dance. And although Jerry might not have had the nerve to ask Pam for the date if he had not made a bet with Antoine, the orchestra leader, there is no doubt but that the invitation is sincere.

### Chapter Three Snubbed

SUNSET was spun like a delicate iridescent cobweb against a pink sky when Jerry's car pulled up at the Quellerton door that afternoon. Jerry had purposely arrived a little late. He wanted to make a grand entrance with Pam at the tea dance, "knock 'em off their pins," he thought to himself.

Jerry opened the door to admit him. There was a dignity about the old man that gave anything he did something of an air. Pam seemed to materialize out of the shadows of the wide stair, her brown eyes soft and lovely, gentle laughter on her lips.

Jerry stood for a startled moment and stared. He'd been right—knock 'em off their pins was it. It had never occurred to him to wonder about Pam's clothes, what sort of a home she came from and

music was played especially for them. She was aware of little besides Jerry and the rhythm to which they moved.

Jerry, looking over her head, saw his mother's gaze following them. He could all but feel his mother asking with that pretty child was. But Adele was all right. She'd never been a snob.

"Hello, Jerry!" The words dropped coolly into a moment of the dance.

"Hello, Lenore." Jerry didn't even look toward the speaker. He knew too well what he would see in his sister's face. She rarely bothered to speak to him unless she had some scheme up her sleeve. Lenore was like that—cool and casual and almost cruel.

When the dance ended Jerry saw Lenore bearing down on them with several girls and a young man or two in her wake.

It was too late to whisk Pam away. Lenore was within hailing distance. Her voice was smooth and sultry, like her appearance.

"Hello, Jerry!" And then appearing to have seen Pam for the first time, she exclaimed: "Oh, the coconut girl! The Palmetto hat girl. Have you any fish flowers for sale today?"

"I've just finished some lovely violets. If you like—" Pam started in all sincerity and a little touch of pride, for she was justly proud of her work. Then she stopped suddenly. Something about the faces of the girls silenced her and brought a swift



"Pam's certainly a success," said a smooth voice.

If she'd have the things to wear for a tea dance. And he needn't have. He had never seen a girl more right than she looked that moment. She was like a slender flower with just a touch of the rudeness they had been trapped into.

"Pam, you're lovely!" he exclaimed.

The smile she flashed at him was bright and sweet as an April day. The pride she heard in his voice lighted all of the little facets of her being. She was glowing as he helped her into the car and closed the door, then hurried around to sit beside her.

He had not been in error about the effect she would have on his friends at Cas a la Marina. He walked slowly toward the outdoor dance floor with her. No need to ask her if she danced. She was made for it—and he'd been right about so many things about her, he must be right about this. Jerry slipped an arm around Pam and eased into the rhythm with the dancers. Their steps matched with a beautiful precision.

Jerry sensed immediately the attention they were attracting. The boys from the bandstand on the beach, smart resort clothes replacing their trunks, were smiling with their eyes. But Jerry edged expertly away from cut-ins.

Boys crowded around for introductions when the music stopped. A scattering of girls came, too. Jerry saw his mother sitting on a bench on the lawn and took Pam toward her.

"You must meet Adele," he said. "She's a grand scout." "Your sister?" Pam asked. "No, my mother."

### Scene

MRS. WINTHROP was gracious and charming and told Pam her dress was a picture, that it looked like Paris or something.

"It should look more like Key West!" Pam was laughing happily as she spoke. "I made it myself!"

"But not those flowers around the hem?"

"Oh, I made those, too. Fish scales!"

"My dear, what clever fingers! I've paid exorbitant prices for things not half as lovely."

"Really? Would you like some? I'd love to make you a big bunch if you'd accept them!"

"That's a promise, child!"

And then Antoine was playing again. It seemed to Pam as she floated away with Jerry that the

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### DEFENSE GARB



appointed the following to serve on barbecue supper committee: Publicity, Mrs. J. A. Winkler, Jr.; tickets, Mrs. Vance Rhodes; bread, Mrs. Charles Panzico; potato salad, Mrs. Mary James; meat, Mrs. A. Petrus; Mrs. C. C. Burkett, Mr. Tom Dupuy, Mr. C. C. Burkett, Mr. Pat Lynch, Mr. Harry Hayes, and others; cold drinks, Mrs. E. E. White; coffee, Mrs. J. B. Brownlee; tables, Mrs. J. R. McKnight; serving, Mrs. Harry Hayes and Mrs. Conrad Cage, Sr.

The quilt donated to the society by Father Henry was won by Mrs. R. C. Jollisse.

Dr. Fred Marx who is serving his internship in the Charity hospital, New Orleans, will arrive later in the week for a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Marx.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. James Griffin is now convalescing nicely at her home on Dick Taylor street from a recent illness.

### SUB-STATIONS OF AREA CLOSE

#### Postoffice Branches No Longer Needed For Army Here

The nine sub-stations for the Second army on maneuvers here, which have been in operation for the past several weeks, using the Monroe post office as base, were all closed Wednesday. At that time the Twin Cities were evacuated by the Red army under threat of occupation by units of the Blue army striking north toward the rich oil and gas fields of northeast Louisiana. The units are understood to be removed to a new base at Bossier City.

Postmaster J. R. Wootten stated that with the closing of sub-postoffice stations that normal conditions are being resumed. Extra help had been employed, and all of the nine sub-stations were in active operation as completely equipped postoffices.

While official figures are not yet available, it is believed that 100,000 pieces of mail were handled daily for the army during the past several weeks.

Incoming army mail for the 200,000 men who were stationed in the Monroe area was all sorted at Little Rock, Ark., and conveyed to Monroe, and outgoing mail was dispatched direct from the Monroe postoffice.

### TIN CANS, BATTERY, PAPER CAUSE BLAZE

A combination of tin cans, an automobile battery, and paper caused a blaze at the Monroe Wholesale Drug company, 121-32 North Second street, about 10 o'clock Thursday morning, report of which sent three trucks from Central fire station to the scene. Firemen who extinguished the blaze said the cans, the battery, and the paper had been used on a barbecue at the company and the contact of the cans with the battery caused a short circuit which ignited the paper. The cover was removed from the building and the blaze extinguished. Little damage was done by the blaze, firemen said.

Trucks Nos. 1, 2 and 6 answered the call to the wholesale drug company. Truck No. 6 later made a call to McCain-Richards, auto dealers on South Grand street, where smoke caused by the passage of a motor tuning liquid through an automobile motor had been reported as a fire.

### SOCIAL AGENCIES COUNCIL TO MEET

The Council of Social Agencies will meet in the First Methodist church annex Friday noon.

This will be the first meeting of the fall and all members are expected to attend.

This group meets the third Friday of each month but does not meet during the summer months.

M. S. Biedenbarn will be the speaker Friday, and his theme will be the Twin City Community Chest, explaining its workings and importance as a civic project.

### INVITATION

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### YOUTH ESCAPES

State and city police were on the lookout Thursday for a 14-year-old youth who escaped Wednesday from the Louisiana Training Institute here. The youth was described as having light reddish hair and brown eyes and was reported wearing light khaki trousers and a gray shirt.

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## 3 BROTHERS ARE IN ARMY RANKS

**Sons Of Ouachita Parish Couple All Now In U. S. Service**

Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Futch, of Luna star route, West Monroe, have three sons who are representing Uncle Sam's national defense forces in the United States army. Staff Sergeant Richard G. Futch, 23, was born in West Monroe and first entered the service in December, 1936, at Fort Benning, Ga. While there he was an instructor in small arms for the Reserve Officers Training corps, and gained recognition for his company through his boxing matches at Fort Benning. Upon his discharge in December, 1938, he was reenlisted for G. H. Q. air force at Barksdale, and while at that station he attended the ordnance school of explosives and ammunition. In July of 1940 he married Miss Gardie Haney of Sioux Falls, S. D., and in October of that year they were transferred to the air base at Savannah, Ga., and a short time later he was promoted to the grade of corporal, air corps. In December of that year, he passed the examination for air mechanics with high honors and was then promoted to sergeant first class, and in this capacity he served as instructor to the new men in the company. In January of this year he was promoted to the grade of staff sergeant and has now been transferred to Charlotte, N. C.

Jack P. Futch, 18, enlisted with the 20th Coast Artillery (anti-aircraft), Louisiana national guard in Monroe of this year, and was sent to Camp Hulen, Tex., shortly afterwards with his regiment. He is now on maneuvers with his regiment near Lake Charles.

Edward J. Futch, 25, was accepted for enlistment for Fort Benning, July 24, 1940, in Monroe, by Sergeant H. B. McNemar and after a few months at that post he was transferred to Fort Knox, Ky., where he is now a member of the First Armored corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Futch are proud of their three fine sons and stated at the local recruiting office that they wished they had more sons who could enter the regular army. All three of the boys speak highly of the service, and all are making excellent progress and intend to remain in the army for a good many years to come.

## MOST OF SECOND ARMY STAFF 'DEAD'

**LAKE CHARLES, La., Sept. 18.—(AP)**—If the Louisiana war games were actual combat almost all the Second Army staff would be dead today, the Third army contended, because of the surprising success of the initial para-troop attack.

Third army headquarters reported one officer and several enlisted men of the 127 who dropped out of planes yesterday, blew a pontoon bridge and disorganized communications of the Second army, commanded a car and reached enemy headquarters, 27 miles from their landing place.

By scaling the headquarters building, the official Third army version said, paratroopers caught Brigadier-General Donald A. Robinson, chief of staff and most of his associates defenseless.

The parachutists were sent on a "sacrifice mission," so-called because in actual combat none would have been expected to return.

## ELMER SLAGE IS HOSPITAL PATIENT

Elmer Slage, superintendent of the Louisiana Training institute, is a patient in St. Francis sanitarium where he was operated on for appendicitis Wednesday.

His condition Thursday was said to be satisfactory.

### TWO PERMITS ISSUED

Sam H. Asti, city building inspector Thursday announced issuance of two building permits. A permit was given H. A. and E. A. Gentry for construction of a one-story frame dwelling in the 1100 block of Texas avenue. The construction will cost \$500, with day labor being used. Another permit was given Leo Williams to build a frame garage at 111 Mouton street. Old materials will be used in the construction, which will cost \$25.

### STREET FLOOR

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## RESERVE OFFICERS' APPOINTMENTS MADE

**WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(AP)**—The war department announced the following have accepted appointment to the officers' reserve corps:

Louisiana: Hubert George Bordenave, first lieutenant, chemical reserve, St. Benedict.

Thomas Malcolm Deas, first lieutenant, medical reserve, New Orleans. Edgar Eugene Erwin, Jr., second lieutenant, engineers reserve, Lake Providence.

Robert Wordis Nicholson, second lieutenant, field artillery reserve Kroto Springs.

Harry Sylvester Snatic, first lieutenant, medical reserve, Route 3, Scafie road, Lake Charles.

Roswell Joseph Weil, second lieutenant, quartermaster reserve, New Orleans.

John Hampden White, Jr., second lieutenant, infantry reserve, New Orleans.

Mississippi: James Dorsey Ball, Jr., second lieutenant, infantry reserve, 1431 North State street, Jackson.

Elwyn Cavin, second lieutenant, infantry reserve, R. F. D. 1, Rosetta.

Henry Comfort Hudson, first lieutenant, medical reserve, 526 College drive, Starkville.

## TWO FIRES DAMAGE CAFE, GARAGE HERE

A fire reportedly caused by children playing with matches damaged the garage of Leon Marx, at 403 Alexander avenue, late yesterday afternoon, Fire Chief Frank Roddy reported.

Trucks No. 1, 3, and 6 answered the alarm at 4:55 p. m. and with the booster and hose lines extinguished the blaze which broke out in a closet in a storeroom over the garage, the fire chief said. The miscellaneous outdoor equipment in the storeroom was slightly damaged, Chief Roddy said.

The Liberty cafe at 405 Walnut street was also considerably damaged yesterday morning when hot grease on the kitchen stove caught fire. Chief Roddy said. Before firemen arrived the blaze was brought under control by soldiers from the Second army depot across the street who sprayed the flames with foamite from portable guns. The cafe is operated by Tom Lecce. Attendants estimated damage at approximately \$300.

Firemen reported grass fires extinguished in the 1200 block of Filhol street, at the intersection of Orange and South Fourth streets, and two miles south of Monroe on the Winnibig road. The latter fire, firemen said, was reported a house fire.

## DENVER DWELLINGS TO HAVE CHIMNEYS

**DENVER, Colo., Sept. 18.—(AP)**—For the benefit of Santa Claus—and to be prepared for any fuel emergency—all future dwellings built in Denver must have chimneys.

In recent years many gas-heated homes have been constructed without them.

Mayor Benjamin F. Stapleton pointed out that saboteurs might cut gas lines or some other emergency could develop to make chimneys houses unsatisfactory.

The council agreed.

### CITY COURT

**W. M. Harper, Judge**  
R. D. Johnson, charged with drunken driving, found guilty, \$100 and costs or 105 days. W. A. Hatch, charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, found guilty, \$100 or 100 days. S. M. Woodward, charged with intoxication, \$7.50 cash bond forfeited.

Lena Moorehead, Chucl Griffin, J. W. Holloway, C. C. Moss, all charged with intoxication, found guilty, \$7.50 or 71-2 days each. Odell Watson, charged with vagrancy, found guilty, 30 days.

Sixteen persons were assessed one dollar for overparking or improper parking. One person was fined \$5 and another person \$2.50 for other traffic violations.

### THE PALACE

## AWARDS TROPHY TO UNITED GAS

**Y's Men's Club Presents Emblem In Softball Contest**

Awarding of the handsome softball trophy to the members of the United Gas company's team was made at the regular meeting of the Y's Men's club at Hotel Frances Wednesday night.

The United Gas company was represented by J. G. Hicks and "Speedy" Lawrence. The Hunt and Whistler team was represented by Marcus Cahn, manager, and by Paul Cook and Umpte Leo Miller.

Y's Men's club member, R. G. Hart presented each of the members present as guests and each gave a short talk.

It was decided to endeavor to have two leagues next year, one to represent business firms here and the other composed of service club members. Mr. Hicks and Mr. Cook were named as a special committee to make the necessary preliminary arrangements for an early start of the program.

Walter Savage, Jr., former club member, who is now in the United States navy and who will soon leave

for Honolulu, and Lieutenant Howell Head, from Camp Buie, Tex., were guests and responded with short talks.

Regional Director Jaultney of Little Rock, Ark., was a guest. He assumed his duties after the national convention of Y's Men's clubs held recently at Memphis, Tenn. He outlined some of the plans for his work the coming year.

Billy Haynes, a former member, was present as a guest, and the club

strives of getting all former members to return to the club, named Mike

John, Jr., as chairman of a committee to contact all former members with an effort to secure their return to the club.

The production of maple syrup in Canada in 1941 is estimated at 2,276,400

cts to this community, various contracts have been made by the Chamber of Commerce and Mayor Benoit, J. W.

Warren, chamber president, said yesterday. He expressed hope that efforts to obtain added benefits of national defense production for the community would materialize at Washington, although "progress at the present is slow."

The mayor and chamber secretary will take to the capital a special study prepared by the chamber staff to show advantages of this section for different types of defense plants.

Comparing notes, the identical twins

Both had mumps the same week.

Both earned ratings of distinguished

## TWINS SEPARATED YEARS IDENTICAL

**TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 18.—(AP)**—Lieutenant-Colonel Lloyd Spooner last night, the first time since

met Lieutenant-Colonel Langdon Spooner last night, the first time since both were wallowing in the mud in the Argonne.

Comparing notes, the identical twins

And to top it off, they have identical mustaches and their grey hair is cut in the same fashion.

Cigarettes consumed in Canada during the first half of 1941 exceeded the number in the corresponding period

marksmen in pistol and rifle at approximately the same time.

Both were lieutenants, captains, ma-

jors and finally lieutenant-colonels at the same time.

And to top it off, they have identical mustaches and their grey hair is cut in the same fashion.

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For removing grimy facial dirt, enjoy mild Black and White Skin Soap daily.

A lowering birth rate threatens ex-

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(blackheads, due to external irritation).

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**Jimmie Fidler**

HOLLYWOOD, September 18.—During the past week while newspapers have headlined a senate committee's "investigation" of the motion picture industry, I've been heavily impressed by one paramount fact, and one inevitable conclusion.

The fact is this: Motion pictures exert tremendous influence on American thought. They formulate opinions, sway emotions and disseminate information. They play a major role in shaping the mentality of America.

The conclusion, following course, should be obvious: The men who operate so powerful a medium should be exceedingly careful to use it well. American democracy allows them to manage their business with a minimum of control. In return, they should be willing to exercise maximum effort to prevent the wrong kind of material from reaching the screen.

The motion picture industry is still young, and, like most youngsters, at times irresponsible. Often, money-grabbing producers have tried to cash in on sensations—on smut, sexy thrills and blood-and-thunder melodrama that glamorizes crime. In so-called historical films, facts have been ludicrously distorted; screen biographies have made heroes of some of the most despicable wretches that ever disgraced the earth.

I don't believe our production heads fully realize their responsibility, even while boasting about the power of the medium they control. It's time now to wake up and consider something beside profit in plotting a picture.

Cold Fact: Florence Rice, elsewhere reported at death's door, is in perfect health except for a cold. . . . Riffed: Burgess Meredith and Evelyn (showgirl) Moriarity, supposedly near marriage. . . . Newsw Muse: Wonder why Franchot Tone has so many portraits of ex-wife Joan Crawford in his home—at least one in every room? . . . Short Cut: Barbers nation-wide are ready for a femme rush to have their locks shorn, after Garbo's new picture reveals her boyish bob. . . . Extra Duty: RKO wants Writer Charles Beldon to bomber-jacket to England, questing first-hand material for a story about ferry pilots. . . . Honored: Lou Costello, for whom home-town folks (Paterson, N. J.) have named a public square. . . . Attention Fortune Hunters: Oklahoma farm lass will Martha O'Driscoll by her grandpa has sprouted an oil well. . . . Investment: Did Rex (money bags) St. Cyr post \$15,000 to back Cobina Wright, Jr.'s, bid for screen success? . . . Up in the World: Carol Bruce will pose for defense stamp posters on request of Major Benjamin H. Namm for whose store she once hosiery-clerked.

The Hollywood Parade: John Howard, philosopher. Mr. Howard, after carefully pondering the local scene, advances the theory that most movie star marriages are broken up by the actress-wife's secret yen for a guy named Oscar. . . . Moxie Rosenblom, logician. Mr. Rosenblom, who likes nothing better than brain-teasers, is currently trying to puzzle out a most perplexing conundrum: Why, when it was announced he would play a Harvard alumnus, did he get a letter of thanks—not from Harvard, but from Yale? . . . Gracie Allen, pioneer. Typical of Miss Allen's resolute spirit is the campaign which she launched, following curtailment of Japanese silk imports, to persuade every Hollywood woman to buy a mulberry tree and a silk worm.

Yesterday's Stars Today: Viola Dana and Shirley Mason. Both top-flight stars in the early 'twenties, the Fluegar (real name) sisters gave up fame to devote full attention to marriage. Viola Dana today is the wife of Jimmy Thompson, famous golf professional, and a hobbyist at magazine writing. Shirley Mason, married for many years to Director Sidney Lanfield, is a popular figure in Hollywood society. Few stars had larger fan following in their hey-day; few have shown less regret for relinquished fame.

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**Our Children**

By ANGELO PATRI

**QUEER EATING HABITS OF BABIES**  
The baby chewed the sides of her crib. Mother paddled then so she could not get at the wood, but she continued to try. She took off her shoe and chewed that. The dolls were chewed to bits; so was anything else that was chewable.

"She is teething," said the doctor. "Give her a teeth-ring and maybe that will stop the habit." It didn't stop it. The ring was one thing more to chew. It had no other effect, and when Baby, aged 2 years now, chewed the back off a boot and swallowed most of it, mother was sure something was radically wrong and took her to the baby specialist.

"There is something lacking in her diet that makes her search for food. We will have to give her a diet that supplies all the elements she needs for nourishment. We will have to explore a little, and experiment, until we find what it is she is looking for."

In a short time it was found that this baby wanted salt, and a little more protein than she was getting. When these lacks were supplied she stopped the queer eating habits.

Children differ from one another in their requirements of diet. If a child, who is getting a basic diet, begins one of these queer eating habits, don't delay. Go to the nearest children's specialist and get help. Eating earth, paper, chewing wood, chalk, any foreign substance means a change in diet is needed.

Teething children do chew hard substances. They need a teething ring. This is easily noticed and adjusted. It is the queer eaters that bother mothers. Sometimes a child refuses milk, or eggs, or cereal, one of the accepted items of children's diet. When this is persistent, see the child specialist.

There are some children who cannot take milk, or eggs, or cereal with good results. It is unwise to insist unless one is sure that there is no physical cause for the refusal. Only the skilled specialist knows about this and, as it is highly important to the health of the child, he should be consulted early.

Children imitate the eating habits of those about them. "He is a regular Greenaway; loves his cabbage," does not so much imply hereditary taste as imitation. The Greenaway, eat cabbage and speak with gusto when it appears on the table. The young Greenaways will do the same.

It is then, the duty of the grown up people to be careful about what they say when food is offered them. If they eat it with apparent enjoyment the children will do the same very soon. If they make faces, sniff, push the dish away and say, "I never could eat that stuff, I can't see how you can even taste it; it makes me sick just to see it," you can be sure the listening children will note those words and act upon them.

A good way to introduce a new dish to children is to serve it to the grown-ups who eat it with evident enjoyment. Serve none of it to the children unless they ask for it, and then be stingy with it. "Just a little; I really cooked this for father," will whet the appetite for it. Never serve enough of a new dish. Leave something of hunger for it so that the next service will be welcomed.

But for the moment, Ish takes second place in his affections. He's thinking of Hoppy, who is Mr. Bug in this animated venture that costs so many hundreds of thousands of dollars to produce. . . . Mr. Bug in Dave's life becomes Mr. Big. . . . If the picture wins, Dave wins and all his associates win. . . . If it doesn't well, there's always the Atlantic ocean. I am not a confirmed fan of animated cartoon movies. . . . I never have recommended one before. . . . I didn't even go for "Snow White." . . . Somehow, I feel that this has an inner pettiness that is very human, and therefore worthwhile, and if I didn't think so I wouldn't say it.

**'HELP!'****Washington Daybook**

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—Tucked away in the \$3,500,000 federal tax bill is a little-discussed tax which some pretty shrewd observers of John Q. Taxpayer's reactions say is going to cause more squawks than anything else in the whole measure.

It's the \$5 "use tax" on motor vehicles. It means very plainly that every one of the 32,000,000 owners of trucks, buses and private automobiles in the land will have to fork over \$5 a year, beginning February 1, 1942 for the privilege of using their vehicles.

The auto people and the American Automobile Association (which has withdrawn its traditional opposition to any tax on auto transportation for the duration of national defense) gave this analysis of the new tax.

First, it should be pointed out that the fewer cars the next year or so, the better for national defense (because of needed materials) and anything that taxation does to reduce the number will have the double-barreled benefit of bringing in revenue and saving those materials. Then, too, when there is anything on which you can slap a little \$5 tax and add \$100,000 to the treasury's income, it's not to be tossed off because of a few squawks.

At least, that's the way the tax framers must have reasoned.

It could be that this little undiscovered tax will turn out to be one of the real touchstones of American temper.

The question of widening and straightening Harrison street from Jackson to Hall street, was discussed at the noon luncheon of the Lions club. The general opinion favored such action before the paving is laid.

Materials are being assembled for laying the gas line under the Mississippi river for the Interstate Gas company. The project is one of the most outstanding ones of its kind ever attempted. Representatives of motion picture companies are planning to make views of the work on October 4 after it is completed.

Elephants will range themselves alongside a wounded comrade and assist it to a place of safety.

The soldiers were in their dressing-rooms when the order came. They climbed back into uniform and mounted entries of a downtown theater where the show had been playing since last week. Within the next two hours they had moved almost close to 1,000 customers and reflected money for tickets sold in advance.

In Washington several hours later, Colonel Eugene R. Householder of the adjutant general's office gave the official explanation, and said the regulations had been involved once before in California.

So, instead of two weeks more behind the footlights, they faced the prospect of a return to field duty, probably at forthcoming maneuvers in Virginia and North Carolina.

They then, a musical revue, "Scap It Up Again," closed last night, a little more than two hours before curtain time, by order of the war department invoking a section of the national defense act forbidding soldiers to be sent to posts to compete with civilians.

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The thing about some of them and all of the federal taxes is that, until now, you couldn't see them unless you looked at the bill of sale, or the posted price of gasoline and oil.

With the "use tax" it's going to be different. It will be just \$5 across the counter, with maybe a little sticker for the windshield or another little receipt to add to the file of "debts paid." Congress handed the treasury the "use tax" without any instruc-

tions for collection and about the only method suggested so far is that stickers be put on sale at postoffices.

The real pay-off on this little item is that congress made it effective February 1, 1942. Since the federal tax year does not begin until July 1, that means that every motorist, truck owner and such will have to come in on February 1 and pay five-tenths of \$5 or \$2.50 (providing the government drops the one-third cent to use his vehicle until July 1).

One of the theories advanced by sponsors of the tax is that it will help to make the country tax-conscious and the little man proud of the fact that he is contributing to national defense. The wiseacres say "just wait and see."

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## MOBILIZATION GOING FORWARD 'IN ALL HASTE'

(Continued from First Page)

said, "probably" had made representations to the Turkish government.

A highly-placed foreign observer at Ankara, recently returned from Rumania and Bulgaria, said Bulgaria had purchased six Italian destroyers in a "smoke screen" deal and had asked Turkey's permission to bring them through the Dardanelles into the Black sea, where British and Russians suspected they might be used by the axis.

The Bulgarian request was said to have been delivered to the Turks on September 12, with no answer as yet.

Under the Montreux convention, no warship of a belligerent nation may pass through the Dardanelles.

Although technically neutral, Bulgaria is dominated by Germany.

Meanwhile, the British press renewed its clamor for the opening of a new front against the Germans, probably by an attempt to land troops in Western Europe, with the conservative London Times declaring Britain not only must help the Russians, members of the Independent Union of Utility Employees.

Because of the uncertainty of the future supply of power, Sheffield Steel Corporation officials said their Kansas City plant was shut down last night and will remain closed until a continuous supply of power is assured. The plant employs 2,800.

A second conference was called by the mediation board at Washington today in an effort to obtain an agreement for releasing a group of "captive" soft coal mines in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Kentucky, owned by major steel companies.

The 43,000 striking C. I. O. United Mine Workers demand a union shop. A conference yesterday, attended by union representatives and steel company executives, failed to bring settlement of the dispute. However, John L. Lewis, U. M. W. president, submitted a proposal for quick resumption of work. Terms of the proposal were not disclosed by the mediation board, but it was to be considered today.

A dispute over increased union dues and assessments continued to hold up production in a number of Eastern Pennsylvania anthracite mines. Twenty thousand C. I. O.-U. M. W. members remained away from work at 44 collieries, although 4,000 men went back to the pits in the Wilkes-Barre area after the mine operators had agreed to quit deducting union assessments for the present time.

A Soviet bulletin said Guderian, whose radio-directed panzers outflanked France's Maginot line in 1940, had lost two-thirds of his effectives—a total of 20,000 troops killed, wounded or captured, as well as 500 tanks, 70 armored cars, 1,252 trucks, 195 airplanes, 32 trench mortars and vast stores of other booty.

German commentators said the silencing of Kronstadt, which guards the sea gate to Leningrad, would permit Nazi warships to move up the Gulf of Finland and take the sieged giant metropolis with its 3,200,000 population under a devastating fire.

Countering Berlin's claims of success in the 89-day-old struggle, the Russians reported a sharp blow to German blitz prestige, asserting that Red army troops defending Bryansk, on the central front, had all but annihilated the mechanized forces of Colonel-General Henk Guderian, the so-called "phantom general" of the French campaign.

A Soviet bulletin said Guderian, whose radio-directed panzers outflanked France's Maginot line in 1940, had lost two-thirds of his effectives—a total of 20,000 troops killed, wounded or captured, as well as 500 tanks, 70 armored cars, 1,252 trucks, 195 airplanes, 32 trench mortars and vast stores of other booty.

German and Finnish reports stressed the campaign in the north.

Helsinki dispatches declared Finnish troops had captured the city of Syvaeri (or Svirstro) and blown up the tracks of the Leningrad-Murman railway, the major land route for supply of Red army troops in the far north. Lake Onega and Arctic sea approaches, however, would remain for Soviet military use even if all land communication were cut off.

Bolstering her preparations for a long war, Russia ordered all male civilians between the ages of 16 and 50 to undergo military training, starting October 1. The Soviet defense committee arranged for a training period totaling 110 hours to swell the ranks of Red army reserves.

The German press emphasized reports of blows against British and allied shipping.

Dienst Amt Deutschland, authoritative commentary, said U-boats had sunk 30,000 tons of shipping a day in the North Atlantic for the last ten days. Speedboats were declared to have sunk four ships totaling 25,000 tons from a British convoy in the English channel Tuesday night.

British and German planes crossed paths at the channel on offensive missions overnight.

Royal Air Force bombers attacked Rhinebank targets for the second night in succession and a Berlin announcement acknowledged slight damage in Southwestern Germany.

German planes bombed two places on the southeast coast of England, the British government said, causing some damage and a small number of casualties.

### NO NEWSPRINT CUT SEEN

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Sept. 18.—(P)—Norbert A. McKenna, chief of the paper section of the office of production management, said today no curtailment of newsprint consumption was threatened in the immediate future. "The time may come when it will be necessary to use less newsprint for publishing," he said, "but I cannot predict when."

### CAPITALIST'S WIFE SHOOTS SELF, DIES

DENVER, Sept. 18.—(P)—Mrs. Lou Boettcher, wife of the Denver capitalist, Charles Boettcher II, who was kidnapped in 1933, shot and killed herself Wednesday.

Deputy Coroner Gus Economy said Mrs. Boettcher, despondent over ill health, fired a .38 caliber revolver bullet through her right temple.

Her body was found in her bedroom at the Denver home from which her husband was kidnapped. He was held by his abductors on a South Dakota ranch until March 1.

Economy said the door was locked and that a family servant gained entrance to the room by climbing through a window.

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"Well tell the world about it," Knopf promised if any raider was caught.

The twin disclosures gave official notice that no half-way measures were being employed to enforce the policy which President Roosevelt enunciated in his speech a week ago, when he barred "defensive waters" to axis raiders and ordered the navy to protect all shipping in those areas.

"The sole responsibility rests with Germany," Mr. Roosevelt asserted then. "There will be no shooting unless Germany continues to seek it."

LOVETT SAYS PRODUCTION HAS 'A LONG WAY TO GO'

LAKE CHARLES, La., Sept. 18.—(P)—Robert A. Lovett, under-secretary for air in the war department, Wednesday said in an interview here that "American production still has a long way to go, but in six months from now the combined United States and British production of combat planes will surpass the combined Axis production of such ships."

He talked briefly before explaining for Baton Rouge and New Orleans. He was high in his praise of the quality and growing quantity of American planes. He said that one squadron of combat planes was now being delivered to the United States air force every other day.

Enlisted men editing the camp newspaper, sponsors of the contest, insisted that the generals complete the job, stating, "We don't want anybody with a squawk to be able to go to the generals' about it."

So the generals went back to work.

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## WITNESS LAUDS WORK IN RADIO BY NEWSPAPERS

Says No One Else Could Have Contributed As Much To Advance

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—(AP)—The federal communications commission turned to Iowa witnesses today for new evidence in its investigation of newspaper-controlled radio stations.

Following up introduction of a mass of testimony concerning relations between Hearst newspapers and Hearst broadcasting outlets, the FCC called Luther Hill, general manager of the Iowa Broadcasting company which is controlled by the Register and Tribune Publishing company, owners of Des Moines' two daily newspapers. Also scheduled to appear was Joe Madsen, vice-president and general manager of the Central Broadcasting company, licensee of station WHO in Des Moines.

Emile J. Gough, former general manager of Hearst Radio, Inc., the principal witness yesterday, said he felt the newspapers had contributed much to radio.

"Could anyone else have made the same contribution to radio as the newspapers?" asked Louis Caldwell, counsel for WGN, the Chicago Tribune's station.

"I might be biased, but I don't think so," Gough replied.

The tradition of newspapers for fairness and accuracy, Gough said, has been carried into radio with "continuing good influence." Newspaper-owned stations, he told the commission, were the first to develop the present form of newscasting.

Gough said he did not think news reports on the radio caused anyone not to buy newspapers. Instead, he said, radio news reports whetted the appetite of listeners to read the papers.

Among the correspondence identified by Gough was a letter he sent to Harry M. Bitner, Hearst newspaper executive, telling of a meeting in New York in April, 1937, of representatives of newspaper-owned stations. Clarence C. Dill, former senator from Washington, described by Gough as the man who wrote the communications act, was present.

"Senator Dill gave a most interesting discourse on the problems confronting owners of newspapers and radio stations," Gough wrote. "He said that he spoke from experience as a member of congress of more than 20 years' standing; and knew that probably the closest thing to a congressman—next to his suit of clothes—was the next election; that his every act in congress is predicated on elections."

He further said that many congressmen have found that newspapers opposed them and are fearful that with newspapers owning stations that they may, in turn, keep them from their constituents."

Dill, Gough said, "paid a great compliment to newspapers operating radio stations by saying that they had done more to advance the art than any other group of station owners."

### REPORTS THEFT

Sergeant Robert E. Snyder, whose home is in Farmington, Mich., reported to police the theft of his suitcase about 11 p.m. Wednesday from the union bus terminal here.

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Fool Years Younger, Full of Vim! Don't blame exhausted, worn-out, run-down feeling on age! It's just that you're not peppling up with Oatrex will do. Contains general stimulant, antiseptic and by virtue of active tannin, calcium, phosphorus and Vitamin A, 75-year-old doctor writes: "I took it myself. Recommended to all patients." Take one tablet daily. Oatrex Tablets today for only 25¢. Stop feeling old. Start feeling peppy and younger this very day!

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## EVANGELISTS

## LITTLE THEATER SEASON PLANNED

Initial Production Will Be  
'Ladies Of Jury'; Starts  
Ticket Sale

The first meeting of the Monroe Little Theater board of directors was

held in the offices of the president, Attorney Thomas W. Davenport, Wednesday night. It was decided to initiate the sale of season tickets at once. The first play will be "Ladies of the Jury," and will be given some time in the second or third week of October.

There are to be produced, during the 1941-1942 season, a total of six three-act plays which will include farces, mystery plays and drama.

The remaining five plays to be selected will be announced later.

Lorenzo Smith has been re-engaged as director for the coming year and will maintain his workshop as for-

merly in the 300 block of North Second street.

Tickets for the entire season can be obtained from any member of the Little Theater board or from Mr. Smith at his workshop.

**HEN LAYS BIG EGGS**  
NACOGDOCHES, Tex., Sept. 18.—(P)—Mrs. Felix Strahan's little hen quickly got the idea of more food for defense. Lately, Mrs. Strahan reported, Biddy has produced three eggs about the size of turkey eggs, each with three yolks.

## DEATHS

### MRS. ROSS RITES

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Ross, 49, of Calhoun, who died at her residence there Tuesday morning, was held at the Calhoun Methodist church Thursday at 10 a.m. The pastor, Rev. E. M. Mouser, officiated, being assisted by Rev. Spinks. Interment was in the Calhoun cemetery. The Dixie Funeral Home directed the arrangements. Mrs. Ross is survived by three sons, A. R. Allen, R. W. Allen and A. M.

Ross, all of Calhoun; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Gray, Mrs. Myrtle Stewart, both of West Monroe, and Miss Lydia Ross of Calhoun.

### PETTIT FUNERAL

The funeral of Frank S. Pettit, 92, was held in the chapel of the Dixie Funeral home Thursday at 4 p.m. Rev. Ernest Duncan Holloway, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated, and interment was in the old city cemetery. Pallbearers, all members of the Monroe police department, were Captain R. G. May, Captain J. D. Busby, and Officers C. W.

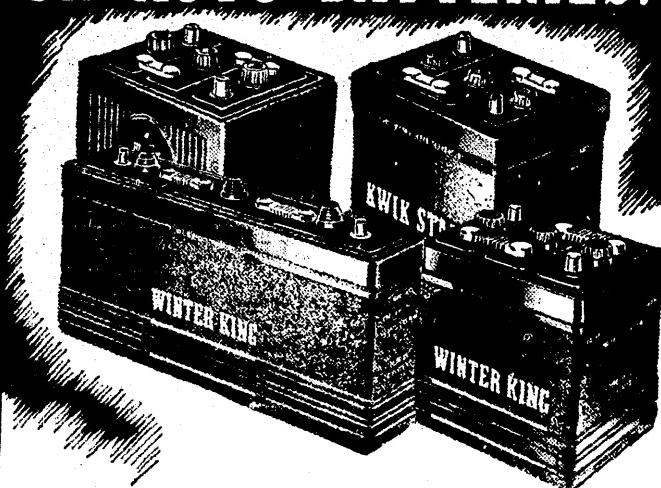
Dent, Horton, Barker and Bob Dartez. Mr. Pettit was a native of Bastrop and had spent his entire life in Monroe and vicinity. He was widely known and highly regarded.

Surviving are three sons and two daughters, all residents of Monroe. They are Fred, Frank and Ira Pettit, and Mrs. W. D. Hudspeth and Mrs. Annie M. Gattis.

The Swedish government has banned citizens from enlisting in any foreign military service except the Finnish.

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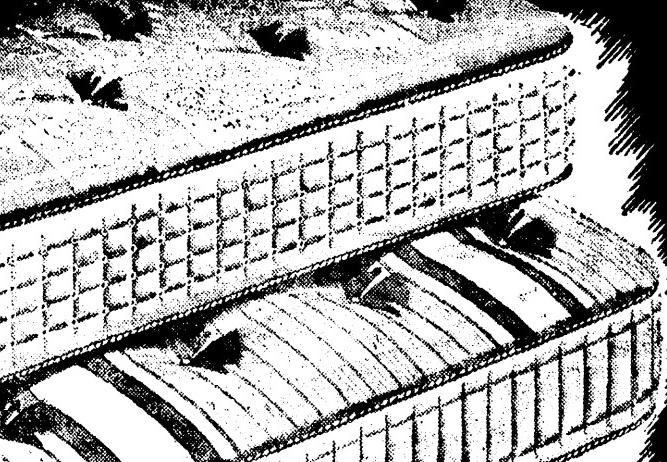
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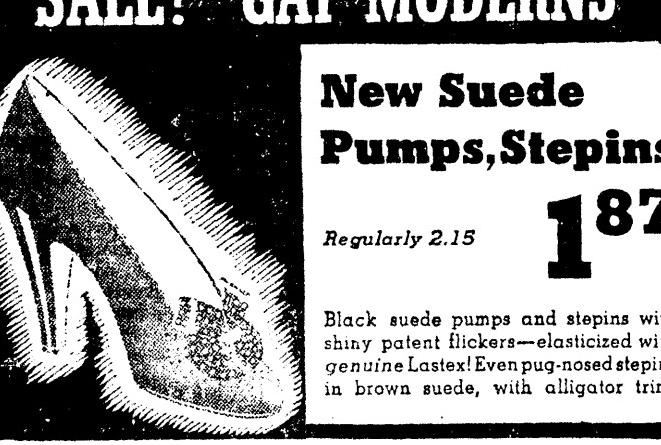
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**IR POWER OF U. S. PRAISED**

**No Officials Call It Great Enough To Meet Any Assault**

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Two high ranking United States air offi-

cials expressed the belief in an interview today that this nation's air power is great enough to withstand any assault.

They were Robert A. Lovett, assistant secretary of war for air, and Major-General Henry H. Arnold, chief of the army air forces, who arrived here yesterday after an inspection trip of air facilities in the vital Louisiana-Texas maneuver area.

Both refused to be quoted directly on the United States' air power, but were emphatic in the belief that its equipment is as good as any in the

world and that its personnel is superb. They limited their quotable observations to the air facilities in the area where the Second and Third armies are maneuvering against each other with every modern weapon.

General Arnold, who was taught to fly by aviation's pioneers, Orville and Wilbur Wright, said planes and pilots performed in a highly satisfactory manner in the maneuvers.

"Our boys are new, untried fliers," he asserted. "Some of them have been out of flying school only about three months. They're being turned loose on equipment as good as any in the

world, and they're making good, even when, as we have observed in the past week, many of the airports the bases are flooded by heavy rains."

Lovett, a naval aviator in the World war, said air activity in the maneuver area presented "a very fine picture."

"Our boys are doing a fine job under difficult and adverse conditions," he declared, and concurred with General Arnold that "they have material as good as any in the world and the men themselves are superb."

Lovett also praised the growing quantity of American planes and as-

sisted one squadron of combat planes was being delivered to the country's air forces every other day.

**CATHOLIC STUDENT RECEPTION HELD**

The Newman club, at Northeast Junior college, held a reception in the social room of the student center for Catholic students, freshmen at the present semester.

Miss Margaret Dugal is president of this club.

**5 SHIVERING BOYS JOIN FREE FRENCH**

LONDON, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Five shivering French boys, all just under 20, landed at Eastbourne this morning, soaking and exhausted from an all-night trip across the English channel in a 12-foot canoe to join the Free French forces.

They had battled an unfavorable tide after shoving off from the French coast.

**JUDGE ANXIOUS ABOUT JURORS**

**Witnesses Say Jones Attempted To Use Undue Interference**

SHREVEPORT, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Testimony by which the prosecution seeks to show that Judge James W. Jones, of Natchitoches, sought unduly to interfere with the selection of a grand jury in 1939, was begun at the outer hearing before Judge J. G. Palmer, special commissioner for the state supreme court here today.

Called to testify in support of the charge that Judge Jones dismissed one grand jury that had been selected, and ordered the drawing of a second more to his liking, were members of the jury commission as well as members of the first grand jury panel.

O. C. Butler, member of the jury commission, and president of the Natchitoches Chamber of Commerce, first to testify, said that he was named on the jury commission by Judge Jones on September 15, 1939.

Judge Jones, he said, called him by telephone and asked him to serve,

stating that he wished outstanding men on the jury panels. Later, he said he conferred with the judge and the latter told him he wanted good men selected on the panels and suggested to him to submit a list of 50 names for prospective jurors.

Butler stated that he submitted such a list and later was handed a revised list by Judge Jones containing names of persons he did not know.

When the jury commission met to select the jury, Butler said that Judge Jones submitted to the commissioners the names of four men he wished to serve on the grand jury. The commission, however, ignored the list and proceeded to draw a grand jury panel of 20 names. Some time later, he said, Judge Jones called him to his office. The judge was very agitated.

"He asked me where I got the names I put on the grand jury," Butler said. "I told him that I had only suggested outstanding men. He told me 'I thought you knew I was to name the grand jury.' Then he said that the grand jury was not properly distributed over the parish and I showed him that every ward was represented. He then said that it was impossible to get a good grand jury from the 20 names as they were no account. He said that he had to name the grand jury in order to control the course of the parish."

Butler said that a second meeting of the grand jury was called after the order had been issued cancelling the first jury. At the second meeting, he said, Judge Jones remarked: "Gentlemen of the jury commission, I've called you back in session to draw another grand jury. The jury you drew was no account."

He said that the judge warned that if the same jurors were drawn again that there would be no court session. A new panel was drawn, Butler said that he has not served as a jury commissioner since another man was named in his place.

Butler was grilled on cross-examination by Joe Cawthon, defense counsel.

"Did you know that one member of the grand jury you selected was charged with a criminal offense at the time?" Cawthon asked.

"I did not." Since you were disposed or liquidated on the jury commission you have been very active against Judge Jones, haven't you?"

"I have not."

J. C. Carnahan, a member of the first grand jury panel, testified that he was qualified to serve on the panel. He admitted, however, on cross-examination, that he had asked Judge Jones to excuse him because of the illness of his father.

A. J. Buckley, another jury commissioner, said he was named on the commission by Judge Jones. He also told of ignoring the list of four names submitted by Judge Jones. He stated that a list of about 35 names he submitted to Judge Jones was revised by the judge.

On cross-examination he was asked by Cawthon if "Judge Jones ever tried to use force, coercion or duress to influence your selection of the jury?"

"He did not. The only thing he did was to hand me a list of four names and said that they were good men."

**LIME, LEMON DROPS IN DEFENSE PICTURE**

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Lime and lemon drops rolled into the national defense picture today.

The Chicago quartermaster depot, which buys most of the food for the army, announced its substance research laboratory had decided to substitute hard candy for the fortified chocolate fudge, now included in the canned emergency ration issued to soldiers in the field.

In stead of fudge, the soldiers will get five individually wrapped pieces of candy, consisting of assorted lime, lemon, orange and butterscotch drops and caramels.

The depot invited candy makers to bid for an order of 610,000 pounds

—or 48,876,000 pieces of candy.

**SEVERAL CHILEANS HELD IN GERMANY**

BERLIN, Sept. 18.—(AP)—Several Chileans—the exact number undisclosed—have been arrested in Germany on suspicion of engaging in activities hostile to the Reich, authoritative sources announced today.

Disclosure of the arrests was made in connection with a query concerning 27 Germans taken into custody in Chile.

Nevertheless Fuehrer Hitler cabled the president of Chile congratulations on the occasion of Chilean independence day, which is today.

**ANOTHER VICTIM OF CRASH EXPRESSES**

GREENVILLE, Miss., Sept. 18.—(AP)—

E. R. Hust, 33, of Meridian, Miss., died in a local hospital last night from injuries suffered last Saturday in an automobile crash that claimed the lives of two others.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Denman, of Franklin, La., were killed when their automobile collided with Hust's car on a bridge two miles east of Leeland, Miss.

The body of Mr. Hust was taken to Meridian today for funeral services.

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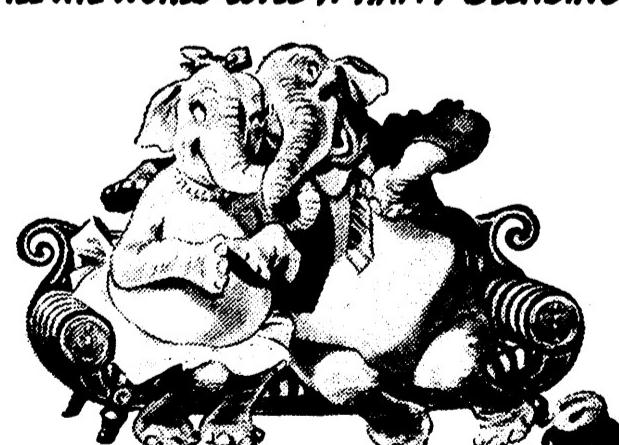
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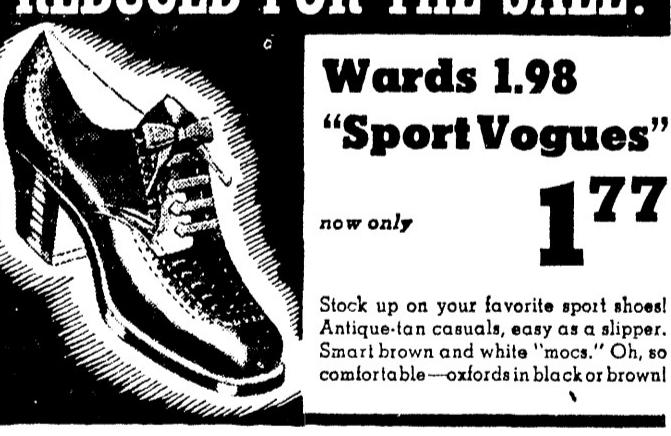
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# DODGERS EDGE PIRATES TO HOLD SLIM LOOP LEAD

## CLUB PUTS ON 5-RUN RALLY IN 9TH FRAME

Win Keeps Cards, Who Triumph Twice, From Top Spot In National

By Judson Bailey  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

The favorite flappiness of baseball players is "I'd rather be lucky than good" and this little crumb of wisdom reminds why the Brooklyn Dodgers will be in first place in the National League and seem destined to win the pennant.

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## SOUTHERN

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 18.—(P)—With Manager Paul Richards and Lester Burge doing the most walloping, the Atlanta Crackers cut loose with a 21-hit attack on four Nashville pitchers for a 12-to-8 victory Wednesday night and thereby gained a 3-2 edge in the Shaughnessy play-offs.

They drove George Jeffcoat to cover in the first inning, did the same to Johnny Sain in the second, touched Leo Twardy at intervals until the eighth and then finished with a four-run game-clinching blast off Charlie Gassaway in the ninth.

As it turned out, they needed their final frame rally to win, as the Vols, more or less subdued by Veteran Ed Heusser's pitching until then, put on a four-run rally of their own climaxed by Les Fleming's second home run of the game and his sixth of the series.

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## LIONS BATTLE MINDEN ELEVEN HERE TONIGHT

Ouachita Faces Another Stiff Test In Tilt At Neville Stadium

The Ouachita Parish High school Lions face another stiff test tonight when they meet the strong Minden High school Crimson Tide here at 8 o'clock at the Neville High school

**FRESH REPORT FRIDAY**  
Freshman football candidates at Ouachita Parish High school have been asked to report to Coach George Riger Friday morning at 9 o'clock, it was announced last night.

Equipment will be issued and the Lion fresh will be put through their initial paces by the freshman mentor Friday. A large number of future varsity prospects are expected to report, it was said.

stadium. The game originally was scheduled to be played at Northeast Junior college stadium but the change was made yesterday, it was announced.

All indications are that the Lions will be in for another rugged battle such as that last week when they dropped a hard fought struggle to the Ruston Bearcats. Although Ouachita defeated the Tide last season, Minden has practically the same team back this year and displayed its potential power effectively last Friday by soundly trouncing the Sarepta eleven, 32 to 0.

The Tide, coached by Math Adkins, former Louisiana Tech athlete who is experiencing his first year at Minden, is all set for Coach Mack Avants' charges and will hold the edge in weight and experience.

Minden is particularly proud of its two tackles, Sam Harper, an all-North Louisiana guard last year who is now working a tackle position, and Sam Harris, veteran 235-pounder, who was a tower of strength in the Tide's line of defense.

Five line positions are in the bag. Emmett Dunnigan, ace tackle and possibly the two runs that proved to be the deciding margin. With two out and the bases loaded he slapped a sharp grounder at Second Baseman Stu Martin, who was all set to grab it when the ball dashed under his head for a single.

Other starters won't be decided until after today's final workout, which will consist principally of warm-up exercises and offensive signal drill.

The squad appears in good condition with only two members on the hospital roll. Lamar Bachenhuis, freshman end from DeQueen, Ark., is nursing a side injury, and Basil Fain, fullback, is suffering a back injury.

Fain, incidentally, will be available for only two games as he must report to his draft board for selective service on October 2. He will be with the squad for tomorrow's game and the Kilgore Junior College battle next week.

Reports from Wesson, Miss., indicate that Coach "Farmer" Johnson has one of the best teams Copiah-Lincoln has produced in several years, and the Wolves are anxious to take the Indians in tow.

White Sox 5-3 with a four-run fifth inning rally clinched by Tom Henrich's 31st homer with two on. The Boston Red Sox edged out Cleveland 3-2 with Joe Dobson pitching six-hit ball and Dom DiMaggio driving in all Boston's runs—two on a single with the bases loaded in the ninth. Detroit downed the Philadelphia Athletics 3-2 although outfit 7-4 and Washington whipped the St. Louis Browns 9-8 in 10 innings.

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## WHIT WYATT WINS A VITAL DUEL



Keeping 'em opponents' hits well scattered, the mighty Whitlow Wyatt of Buchanan, Ga., pitched the Brooklyn Dodgers to a 16-0 victory in their third and deciding game of a three-game series with the St. Louis Cardinals in St. Louis. Here, Wyatt cuts loose a pitch to Jimmy Brown, Cardinal lead-off batter. The catcher is Herman Franks and the umpire is Babe Pinelli. The victory gave the Dodgers a lead of two games in the race for the National league pennant.

Neville, Menard Battle To Scoreless Deadlock

Eagles Stopped On Tigers' One-Yard Line In Last Minute Of Play

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.  
NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—(AP)—One of the biggest disappointments Leo Duorcher has had lately was when Montreal got into the International league's playoffs. Leo wanted to bring up Claude Corbett from the farm to play shortstop the last couple of weeks. And to make it worse, Tony Cuccinello has been around watching the bums as an antidote for his experiences as Jersey City manager and has spent most of his spare time singing praises of Claude. After the past three days it seems that the Dodgers could make things a lot easier for themselves and the fans by playing the ninth inning first.

Neville started like the legendary "house fire," but cooled off after the first half and then the Bengals were forced on the defensive during most of the last half and highlighted the battle by stopping a serious Eagle threat cold on the Neville one-yard line in the last couple of minutes of play.

Fumbles and otherwise bad handling of the ball were costly on both sides, but a Neville fumble of a punt late in the game proved almost disastrous.

Late in the final period J. M. Head fumbled Charles DiStefano's punt and Roy Gravel recovered for Menard on the Tiger 19. Aubrey Blank and DiStefano carried the oval to Neville's six on four shots at the line despite a five-yard penalty. DiStefano picked up two at left tackle. Banks was held for no gain at the middle of the line, but DiStefano went through tackle for three to Neville's one-yard line.

Menard called "time out," but the Tigers were set for the Eagles on fourth down and the entire right side of the Neville line swarmed through to throw Blank for a yard loss when he started through right tackle. Neville ran one line play for a yard as the game ended.

Taking the opening kickoff, the Tigers chalked up two first downs on runs by Sam Ladart and John Luffey, then drew a 15-yard penalty for being too rough and were forced to kick. Menard kicked back and the ball was downed on Neville's 45. The Tigers went to Menard's 38, getting another first, but they were forced to kick again after an incomplete pass and a penalty, and from that point on the Bengals' offensive bogged down.

Neville got only three first downs all in the first quarter. Menard hung up one first in the second quarter but otherwise displayed no offensive power until the final period when the Eagles ran up four first downs.

DiStefano and Blank bore the brunt of Menard's backfield duties while Ladart and Luffey did most of the Tiger ball carrying with Mead handling the passing, and Jack Dyer doing the punting.

Ken Flynn and Gravel were out standing in the Menard line, while "Bud" Slaughter, J. B. Simmons and Bill Dyer turned in some good work for the Tiger forwards.

The lineups:

Pos.	Neville
LE.	J. Dyer
LT.	Simmons
LG.	Moss
C.	Williamson
RG.	Rivers
RT.	Slaughter
RE.	B. Dyer
QB.	Head
HB.	Ladart
HB.	Luffey
FB.	Frazier

Score by quarters:	
Menard	0 0 0 0
Neville	0 0 0 0

Substitutes: Menard—Fleming, Lewis, Harwood, Guillot and Fane Neville—Marshall, Porter, Bee, newcomer Ellerbe, Beard, Hayes, Brown.

First downs: Menard, five; Neville, three.

Passes: Menard, four incomplete; Neville, two complete, seven incomplete.

Penalties: Menard, 20 yards; Neville, 25 yards.

Officials: Dr. W. L. Bendel (Tulane), referee; "Sport" Grafton (Louisiana Tech), umpire; Paul Bonin (Louisiana Tech), head linesman; Woodrow Turner (Louisiana Normal) field judge.

**TODAY'S GUEST STAR**

Tim Cohn, New York World Telegram: "It appears that the Athletics got back into the cellar just in time to put up their fall preserves. A little canning wouldn't hurt them at that."

## CLEANING THE CUFF

After L. W. Jenkins knock out Cleo McNeal at Minneapolis last week a flock of autograph hounds gathered around the exit. And most of them passed up Lew to get signatures from his wife, Katie, . . . George Halas pays about \$10 a game for movies of the Chicago Bears in action. . . They don't all play suicide schedules these days. In a dozen games on the opening day of the Idaho scholastic grid season, the winning teams scored 33 points, the losers six. . . Harry Todd, the crack amateur golfer from Dallas, is going into business at Hobbs, N. M., and out of competitive golf. . . Lightweight Marty Servo will join the navy right after his fight.

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## REDBIRDS TAKE DOUBLE BILL FROM BRAVES

Victories Pull St. Louis Up To One Game Behind Dodgers

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 18.—(P)—The Cardinals edged a little nearer Brooklyn by sweeping a double header from the Boston Braves Wednesday, 6 to 1 and 3 to 2, and now trail the leaders by only two games each.

Henry Wyse's five-hit pitching for Tulsa was matched by Sal Gliatto, ace of the Rebel staff, but the Dallas star hit Ed Zydowsky in the sixth inning with the bases full and forced in the night's only run.

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Wysse and Hernandez; Gliatto and Cronin.

**GENTS TO OPEN PLAY SATURDAY**

Centenary Eleven Meets Millsaps Squad On Shreveport Gridiron

SHREVEPORT, La., Sept. 18.—(P)—The one-time "Giant-Killers" of the Southwest, Centenary College's fighting Gents, will open their 1941 grid campaign here Saturday night against the Millsaps College Majors of Jackson, Miss., in the first meeting between the teams since 1927.

The victory-hungry Gents, who have lost more than half of their games during the past two years, hope for a successful season. Coach Jake Hanna is in his second year.

Gone from this year's squad are 14 lettermen, including stalwarts as James "Cotton" Barnes, ace passer; W. T. Jacks and Norris McCrary, tackles; and Lavelle Murphy, end. Mack and Hogan, ebs, and Bagby, p., are nine lettermen, four junior squadrans, one junior college transfer and 16 promising sophomores.

Slated to lead the Centenary offense this fall is Truman "Chief" Johnson of Idabel, Okla., senior letterman; "Chief" is a fast and powerful ball carrier.

The Gents have five lettermen, one junior squadman and one sophomore in the first-string forward wall.

Rookie Stan Musial, just up from Rochester, doubled in the Cardinals' first two runs in the third inning of the nightcap.

Lead that head up until the seventh and it was an error by Crespi which started the Braves off. His bungle allowed Frank Demaree to reach first. Eddie Miller promptly tripped him home and then scored the tying run as Gene Moore singled to right.

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## ORIDA STARS LEAD TOURNEY

First-Round Honors in Southeastern Links Competition

MONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla., Sept. 18.—(P)—Three Florida golfers fired a par 74 Wednesday on the wind-swept, rain-soaked Ponte Vedra course to share first round honors in the 20th annual Southeastern P. G. A. tournament.

Little Dick Doerscher, 19-year-old Jacksonville amateur, took the play from the professionals with a 73. He tied Al Nelson of Ponte Vedra and Ed Brook of Winter Haven for first place at the finish of the 18 holes of the 72-hole competition.

Only nine of the 42 players who ended in cards succeeded in shooting under 80 on the tough Seaside put.

Clayton Attridge of Pensacola, Fla., closed on the heels of the pace-setters with 73-75; one stroke ahead of Joe Burch of Mobile, Ala., who ended a pair of 83s, and Jake Fondren of Memphis, Tenn., who faltered on back nine after shooting the first holes in even par.

Greene Cook of Anniston, Ala., who co-holder of the competitive course at 71, and Louis Brownard, Jacksonville amateur, turned in scores of 73-77.

The principal first round casualty was Clyde Usina of West Palm Beach, Fla., who tied Cochran last year at 75 but lost in the playoff. Today Usina took an eight on the par-3 third hole and wound up with 78-80 in a tie with Charlie Miller of Macon, Ga.

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## Gridiron Briefs

### U. OF MISSISSIPPI

X-ORD. Miss., Sept. 18.—(P)—Coach Harry Mehre again expressed satisfaction Wednesday with the work of his University of Mississippi players, and said he was afraid too little time was left to get them in shape for the opening game with Georgetown, September 26.

Splendid running by Merle Hapes,

fullback, despite his recent stay

in a hospital, gave Mehre one ray of hope, but the mentor ordered con-

siderable extra work for the reserves

line and downfield blocking.

### FLORIDA

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Sept. 18.—(P)—

The rains stopped Wednesday after-

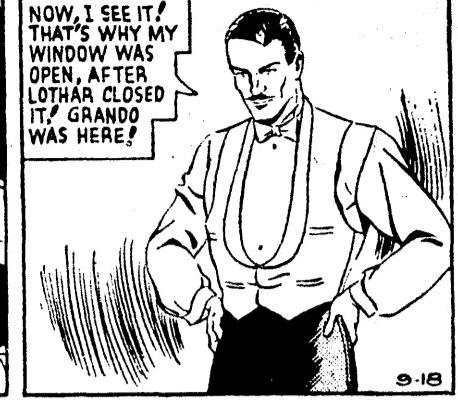
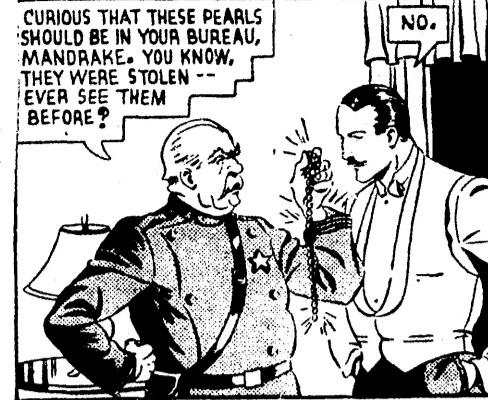
noon and the University of Florida

team got in its best practice

for Saturday.

Jim Schwartzinger, respectively.

## MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN



## Techmen Getting Set For Grid Opener With L. S. U.

day night's opening game with Randolph Macon.

Ferguson's first team appeared to be close on the heels of the pace-setters with 37-35-75, one stroke ahead of Joe Burch of Mobile, Ala., who ended a pair of 83s, and Jake Fondren of Memphis, Tenn., who faltered on back nine after shooting the first holes in even par.

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## BOSTON RUNS WIN STRING TO 8 IN ROW

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RUSTON, La., Sept. 18.—(Special)—With practice periods limited to one three-hour session in the afternoons, the Louisiana Tech coaches this week are administering light workouts and otherwise protecting what's left of a crippled backfield in preparation for the opener with Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge Saturday night.

Though injuries have made heavy duty particularly into the left half-back and fullback sections, the rest of the Bulldogs were reported by Head Coach Joe Aillet to be in better physical condition than at the opening of the season a year ago.

"The boys who are not hurt," Coach Aillet stated, "seem to have more fire and fight than I have seen in some time. They may not be the best players in the world but no one loves the game more than they."

Most of the injuries to the Techmen have been caused from dummy work or signal drills and not from hard bodily contact. The coaches accordingly are now so concerned with preventing further casualties that they have virtually "requested the quarterbacks to wear helmets at skull drill."

James Tinsley of Haynesville, senior left halfback, suffering with a cracked rib, will attempt to play in a cast rigged up for him this week. Coach Aillet said.

Freddie Michael of Homer, senior fullback, put on a practice uniform Monday for the first time in 10 days. He has been nursing a lame leg. The coach indicated that he is likely to start against the L. S. U. Tigers, however.

Johnny Perritt of Tyler, Tex., a junior halfback, is still bothered with recurring back injury.

"Peritt is a top-notch ball carrier and one of the best backs I have ever seen," Coach Aillet declared. "I have hoped that he would have an opportunity to do a little work against L. S. U. but that old injury of two years ago has come back again and that will probably keep him out of the game, even though he should be feeling all right Saturday night."

Milton (Monk) Clavier, sophomore, a product of Warren Easton High School in New Orleans, is handicapped with a knee injury and it is doubtful whether the fleet-footed 162-pound left halfback will be used at all this fall, Coach Aillet said.

But there are several other backs so far unscathed who are able to help the cause along, such as Quarterbacks Robert May of Haynesville, junior; Walter Ford, Lafayette, Ind., senior; Dean McBride, sophomore, Ansley; Right Halfbacks James Zoeller, senior, New Albany, Ind.; Chester Wojecki, junior, Erie, Pa.; Richard (Richie) Rivers, sophomore, Monroe; and Fullbacks Gene Fleming, sophomore, Ferriday, and Johnny Ballance, junior Arcadia, although the latter is being worked over currently at left halfback because of the injuries cutting into that position.

Jim Allen, sophomore center, Camden, Ark., and listed at 226 pounds, most likely will get the nod to start against the Tigers and can look for relief from only one quarter, namely, Hays Fleming, sophomore, of Ferriday.

Coach Cecil Crowley, line tutor, can depend upon service from the following six guards: Captain Garland Gregory, Columbia; Tom Fearnough, Louisville, Ky.; Victor Cerise, New Orleans; Gerald Brasley, Jonesboro; Andrew Cuccia, New Orleans, and Frank Bishop, Birmingham, Ala. Coach Crowley also has six dependable tackles, including George Doherty, Canton, Miss.; Eddie Roberts, Fort Gratiot, Ga.; Max Brown, Camden, Ark.; James Rice, Waterford; Lucian Conway, Baytown, Tex., and Dalton Clark, Andalusia, Ala.

The roster lists eight ends: Leonard Olsen, New Orleans; Wilbur Levelyan, Columbia; Tag Yarbrough, Acadia; Joe Tom Mahry, Goodman, Miss.; Robert Rife, Waterfront; Buddy Parker, Birmingham, Ala.; J. H. "Poppy" Laughlin, Bloomfield, Ind.; and Dick Nunnally, Rayville.

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CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—(P)—Elmer Layden, commissioner of the National Football League, assessed fines of \$25 each today against Charles Schultz, Green Bay tackle, and Augie Lio guard with the Detroit Lions, for their fight during last Sunday's Packers-Lions game at Green Bay, Wis. The players, who were put out of the game in the fourth quarter, must pay their fines to regain eligibility, Layden said.

ALABAMA

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., Sept. 18.—(P)—The Alabama football squad's list of cripples rose to eight Wednesday and Coach Frank Thomas ordered only easy workouts until the week-end.

Thomas announced he was shifting

Bill Baughman, 195-pound sophomore

center from Jeannette, Pa., to guard

after five candidates for that post went out with minor injuries.

## CRIMSON TIDE FACES BENGALS

Jonesboro-Hodge And Columbia Elevens To Tangle Friday

JONESBORO, La., Sept. 18.—(Special)—The Jonesboro-Hodge High Tigers have been hitting a fast pace all the week in preparation for their game here Friday night with the Columbia Crimson Tide. Their defeat at the hands of the Fair Park Indians failed to dishearten them, but on the contrary, strengthened their resolve to show all future opponents one of the toughest Class A teams in North Louisiana.

Coach C. E. Maroney, though not satisfied with the team's play last week, was pleased with their defensive fighting in spots. However, this week he plans to start a different lineup against Columbia, giving several of the newer boys who have been hitting hard in scrimmage chance to show what they can do in real competition. A couple of guards likely to start the game are Carl Coleman and J. W. McCarty. These boys have been working hard since the opening practice session, and have developed into hard hitters in the line. Aside from these, the line will be about the same that started in the opener: A. C. Shackleford, center; Lescar Harlan and James Tolier, tackles; and Fred Howell and O. B. Lockhart, ends.

Another large crowd is expected for the game.

menting with the backfield, and finds that hard-charging Theo Shively, who has been playing the spinner back position on offense, is one of the finest blocking backs he has ever had. The shifting of Shively up close to the line put Max Stewart in the spin-back slot, and he looks good there. Columbian will see these boys alternating at the two positions. The starting wingbacks will be Ronald Dennis and Hannan Shively, two small but speedy ball carriers, instead of Richard Tewell and Dalton Abercrombie. Tewell was injured in the game last Friday, but has completely recovered, and will be put in the lineup should the Crimson Tide prove especially tough.

Another large crowd is expected for the game.

## SPORTS MIRROR

(By Associated Press)

Today a year ago Cincinnati Reds clinched second straight National league flag as Johnny Vander Meer beat Phil 4-3 in 13 innings.

Three years ago—though beaten twice by St. Louis, the Yankees sewed up American league pennant as the runner-up Boston Red Sox were rained out in doubleheader.

Five years ago—Fifty-mile gale flattened tents and uprooted trees at Garden City as Johnny Fischer of Cincinnati and Jock McLean of Scotland reached finals of national amateur golf championship.

After years of unemployment among nurses, a shortage is now developing because of military requirements.

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## Baseball's BIG SIX

(By Associated Press)

### BATTING

Player, Club	G	A	B	R	H	Po	E
Williams, Red Sox	134	424	129	173	408		
Travis, Senators	141	571	99	203	356		
DiMaggio, Yankees	131	52	116	181	336		
Dodgers, Dodgers	129	510	109	171	333		
Hornbeck, Indians	129	510	108	177	317		
Medwick, Dodgers	123	499	116	181	317		
Zwack, Cardinals	125	470	68	149	317		

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HOME RUNS	American League
CINCINNATI, Sept. 18.—(P)—Cincinnati's Reds took a twin bill from Philadelphia Wednesday, a hit batsman with the bases full doing the trick 3 to 2 in the nightcap after Johnny Vander Meer yielded three hits and fanned 11 to win the opener 1 to 0.	
The first game was Vander Meer all the way running his season's strikeouts to 193. He walked none until Johnny Rizzo batted for Rube Melton in the ninth.	
The nightcap was marked by three hit batsmen of which Bill Werber was the last. Harry Craft was knocked cold in the sixth and sent to a hospital for X-ray tests and Gene Thompson contributed one.	
Thompson led the Red attack with two doubles and a single, his second two-hopper opening the ninth with the score two-all.	

### FIRST GAME

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	Po	A	E
Murtaugh, 2b	4	0	0	4		



## World's Latest Market News

## COTTON

## New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18.—(P)—Dealers laid to long realizing and hedging were shown in cotton futures today. Closing prices were barely steady at 21 1/2 points net lower.

Open High Low Close  
ct. 17.83 17.71 17.65 17.54b  
ct. 17.89 17.85 17.72 17.73-73 off 21  
ch. 17.95 b... 17.78b  
ch. 18.08 18.12 17.90 17.91-92 off 21  
ay. 18.20 18.26 18.06 18.06 off 18  
ay. 18.28 18.28 18.12 18.13 off 17  
b-Bid.

## SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18.—(P)—Spot cotton closed steady 23 points over. Sales \$3.65; low middling \$3.62; middling \$3.19; good market \$3.64. Receipts 5,432, stock \$35,042.

## New York

Futures closed 19-22 lower. Open High Low Last  
ct. 17.83 17.71 17.51-53 off 22  
ct. 17.83 17.90 17.68 17.73-74 off 21  
ch. 17.90 17.80 17.70 17.78b  
ch. 17.89 18.07 17.87 17.90-91 off 19  
ay. 18.21 18.26 18.09 18.05 off 20  
ay. 18.21 18.26 18.09 18.11 off 20  
Middling spot 18.24n off 21.  
Nominal.

## Cottonseed Oil

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18.—(P)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleached prime yellow summer 13.80b; prime crude 12.37 1-2. Oct. 13.51b; ec. 13.42b; Jan. 13.42b; March 13.52b; ay. 13.45b.

Bid—n Nominal.

New York

EW YORK, Sept. 18.—(P)—Bleached cottonseed oil futures closed 4-6 lower. Sales 85 contracts. Oct. 13.55b; ec. 13.71b; Jan. 13.73b; March 13.82b; ay. 13.85b.

Bid—n Bid.

## Sugar

EW YORK, Sept. 18.—(P)—The shortening quota supply situation in its strengthened world sugar futures day.

Trade buying absorbed hedging and liquidation and afternoon prices rose 3 to 4 points higher, despite a action from the highs. December bid at 2.15 and March 2.11.

Domestic futures were quiet and changed to 2 points higher on trade.

vering, September 2.75; March 2.78. No change developed in either raws refined.

Futures No. 3 closed slower to 2 higher. Sales 2,700 tons. Sept. 2.70b; m. 2.78b; March 2.78b.

No. 4 futures 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 higher. 15,250 tons. Dec. 2.15b; March 2.15b.

Bid—n Bid.

## Livestock

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—(P)—(USA)—Lobd hogs 8,000; total 10,500; slow.

ights 240 lbs. down steady to 10; heavier weights and sows ready; good and choice 180-270 lbs.

60-95.

Sale sheep 4,000; total 8,000; nothing done on good and choice spring rams.

Sale cattle 3,500; calves 700; feders and yearlings strong to 25 lbs; medium to good grades, strong uneven; advance centered on choice yearlings and weighty feeders; yearlings up to 12.50; beef cows at 8.00-9.00; choice vealers to 50; good to choice western yearlings at 11.00-12.00.

## Potatoes

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—(P)—(USA)—

ton, arrivals 88; on track 250; to U. S. shippers 388; supplies moderate; demand on best quality Tri-

umps washed moderate, market ready; on unwashed demand slow.

market dull and weak; Idaho Rus-

sians demand slow; market about

body; for northern white stock de-

very slow; market weak; Idaho Rus-

sians U. S. No. 1, 182-1-2

225; Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1,

10; North Dakota Bliss Triumphs U.

No. 1, 120-60; Early Ohios U. S. No. 1, 150; Green Mountains U. S. No. 1, 105; Chippewas U. S. No. 1, 120.

## Oysters

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—(P)—Foultry

46 trucks; 10k; hens over 5 lbs.

springs, 4 lbs. up, colored 16-

lymouth Rock 17, White Rock 18-

der 4; coloed 16-12; Plymouth Rock 17, White Rock 18; geese old 13;

new prices unchanged.

## ARBERS TAKE ON JOB

## OF AWAKENING PEOPLE

BALTIMORE, Sept. 18.—(P)—The

Arber shop, in the opinion of J. M.

week of High Point, N. C., "is one

the best places in the world to

pick up the seriousness of the for-

mer situation, to arouse popular sup-

port of the president.

"The people aren't awake," Cheek,

ing president, said at the conven-

tion of the National Association of

Arber Examiners. "We've got to take

a word back to them. And the bar-

is one of the key men for the job."

## BRITISH YOUTHS PREFER

## TO DIE HAPPY AT DANCE

LONDON, Sept. 18.—(P)—Seven hun-

med members of the young peoples

Pop-Pit league petitioned the gov-

ernment today to keep London re-

gardless of the danger of night air

bombs.

"If we must die in an air raid," the

titon said, "we prefer to die happily

a dance rather than perish miserably in a dugout."

## THIS SMOKING HABIT CAN BE VERY STRONG

MACON, Ga., Sept. 18.—(P)—The

car sent the automobile rolling over and over for 30 yards but when the machine stopped, upright, also upright was James F. Johnson.

Uninjured, he found he was still

puffing on a cigarette which had

not been dislodged from his lips despite the fact the car was vir-

ually demolished.

## MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—(P)—Stocks irregular; profit selling halts rally. Bonds steady; foreign dollar issues boosted. Cotton lower; hedging and liquidation. Sugar higher; trade buying absorbs hedging and liquidation.

CHICAGO—Wheat higher; lending lease program; short covering.

Corn higher; good feeding reported. Cattle strong to 25 higher; improved eastern demand. Hogs steady to 10 lower; top \$12; dressed light hogs lower.

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## HIGHWAY SAFETY IS CONSIDERED

### Lieutenant-Governor Hughes Gives Address To Civilian Club

Lieutenant-Governor H. C. Hughes, of Civilian clubs in Louisiana, discussed "Safety on the Highway," at the meeting of the Monroe club, at Hotel Francis, Wednesday night. In this connection, he cited an article by Dr. Arthur Horne, of Los Angeles, Calif., on this subject.

It was pointed out that the development of the automobile industry, construction of new highways, and other developments in this connection have been so rapid that safety, for the time being, hasn't made strides equal to the extent of the progress made along those other lines.

In all safety, the personal element, it was shown, is the principal one. Traffic regulations have been passed, mechanical safety devices, the work of some of the best engineers in the country, are used but still the personal element is all important and may counteract all efforts by other means for safety.

It was said that inside of the next 10 years, the entire system may be changed as regards traffic regulations.

Drivers were classified as of either the offensive or defensive type. The first type was shown to be one who gets into difficulties and often causes injuries to others but rarely to himself.

In the matter of vision fitness for safety, the speaker said that 38 states compel vision tests of drivers. That many people are unable to see out of more than one eye and quite likely are not aware of the fact, the speaker asserted. A one-eye driver is unable at all times to safeguard himself when driving on the highway, it was shown.

The last feature that was discussed in the matter of highway safety was that of the person's reaction when in a difficulty. An understanding reaction was shown to be such as to avert a possible tragedy on the highway while the lack of such reaction often leads to bad accidents, the speaker said.

### BICYCLE UNCLAIMED

A red and white Goodyear bicycle, found by police and as yet unclaimed, is being held at police headquarters, officers said Thursday in urging the owner to come to headquarters and claim the machine.

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### POP, CAN MELVYN DO THIS TO ME?

Melvyn Douglas has an armful—of Ruth Hussey, while Charles Coburn looks on approvingly, in "Our Wife," now playing at the Paramount and featuring Ellen Drew, John Hubbard and Harvey Stephens, a comedy of a hubby burning up when wifey starts turning up.

### The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie (Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer)

Secretary of the Navy Knox's announcement that American warships to be used in convoying our merchantmen should cause little surprise, inasmuch as there is no other way in which the safety of cargo boats can be ensured.

That is the corollary to President Roosevelt's order that shipping be protected in our defensive waters. If that order is to be enforced there is no alternative to the employment of strong naval escorts, well bolstered with the fast, tough destroyers which make a special business of dealing with submarines. Either you convoy your ships or many of them will be sunk.

The situation is emphasized by the statement today from Dienst Aus Deutschland, authoritative German commentary, that U-boats have sunk 30,000 tons of shipping daily for the last 10 days in the north Atlantic.

The U.S. confirmation of this claim, however, do know that there has been a steady loss of British ships. Less than four months ago, on May 27, President Roosevelt summoned the position up thus grimly:

"The blunt truth of this seems to be this—and I reveal this with the full knowledge of the British government: The present rate of Nazi sinkings of merchant ships is more than three times as high as the capacity of British shipyards to replace them; it is more than twice the combined British and American output of merchant ships today."

If two and two make four, then a continuation of such a loss must mean that American aid would lie rotting at the bottom of the sea, and that the allies would meet defeat. Lack of sufficient British warships to protect shipping has been a major cause of these heavy losses. A somewhat similar situation in the World war almost brought disaster to the allies, and it was the inauguration of strong American naval convoys which had much to do with saving the day.

Will there be shooting between our convoys and Nazi raiders? Of course there will, for it must be expected that U-boats will invade our north Atlantic route to Ireland.

However, it remains to be seen whether Herr Hitler will force the issue far enough to bring on war, or whether he will try to avoid it by devoting most of his efforts to British territorial waters. Many observers hold that the latter course would be the logical one, but it must be admitted that logic not infrequently blows up in one's face in wartime.

There has been a distinct slowing down of the U-boat campaign for some weeks now, but we can be sure that this is only a temporary respite. Hitler hasn't been employing anything like the total fleet; he is generally believed to possess.

There are two excellent reasons for this. One is that he needs U-boats

### ATTORNEY IS CLUB SPEAKER

#### James Sparks Talks To Kiwanis On U. S. Constitution

The principal speaker at the luncheon of the Kiwanis club at Hotel Virginia Wednesday noon was Attorney James Sparks, who discussed certain features of the constitution of the United States. This program was in accord with "National Constitution week" that is being observed by clubs throughout the nation.

The club voted to accept the challenge of the Lions club for a softball game to be played between the two clubs at the fairgrounds in West Monroe at the time of the collision.

The attending physician at the Vaughan-Wright-Bendel clinic where Mr. Tippit was taken, said he sustained several broken ribs and was suffering from shock. The driver of the truck, James C. Marshall, head-quarters battery, 103rd coast artillery (anti-aircraft), Fort Sheridan, Ill., and Technical Sergeant Stanley Hardin, a passenger, were uninjured.

The accident occurred, police said,

### LOCAL MAN INJURED IN CAR-TRUCK CRASH

A. J. Tippit, owner of a Monroe amusement parlor, was injured early yesterday afternoon when the automobile which he was driving collided with an army pickup truck at Texas avenue and South Second street, Monroe police reported.

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The accident occurred, police said,

as Mr. Tippit was traveling south on South Second street at about 18 miles per hour and Marshall west on Texas avenue at approximately 45 miles per hour. The cars met at the intersection. The front end of Mr. Tippit's car was considerably damaged, police reported.

Marshall was en route to the motor parts depot at the fairgrounds in West Monroe at the time of the collision.

In India, experimental roads have

been constructed of molasses and coal tar.

### PLAYS HORSES FROM POLISH PRISON CAMP

LONDON, Sept. 18.—(P)—If a man wants to play the horses, it seems there's hardly anything that can stop him—even though he is in a Polish prison camp and his betting agent is in London, with the International Red Cross their sole means of communication.

That was the situation of Private Gordon Roll, captured by the Germans at Dunkerque, who has been sending requests to Betting Agent Warwick Thompson for information on the horses.

Thompson was not inclined to the communications seriously until Roll ordered a bet equal to \$100 on the Cambridgeshire race.

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## METHODISTS ARE RAISING FUND

New Have \$19,000 Cash Toward \$75,000 Building Fund

Members of the First Methodist church are busily engaged in their campaign to raise a total of \$75,000 cash for the erection of a large educational building at the rear of the church edifice.

To date more than \$19,000 in cash is in the bank for this purpose, through contribution of 1,061 members.

October 6, 1941, will be the climax of the fall campaign, and at that time it is sought to increase the amount to \$25,000, which will mark a third of the way toward the total goal of \$75,000.

The church has named a ways and means committee to have charge of and persons are expected to be present.

the campaign. Members of this group are E. C. Gibson, chairman; F. V. Barnett, Dr. A. M. Freeman, C. H. McHenry, Henry Bernstein, J. G. Hicks, E. N. Thompson, Roy O. Hale, W. D. Inabot, and J. Harvey Trousdale.

## GROUP PICKS MONROE AS CONVENTION SITE

The Louisiana Library association will hold its 1942 convention here, according to information received Friday by the Twin City Chamber of Commerce. In a letter to the local chamber, President Florinell Francis of the association said the executive board of the organization had picked Monroe as the site of next year's convention in its last regular meeting on September 18.

Although no dates for the convention have been set, the convention this year was held the first week in May, and it is expected next year's meeting will be held at about the same time. Judging from past conventions of the association, approximately 400 persons are expected to be present.

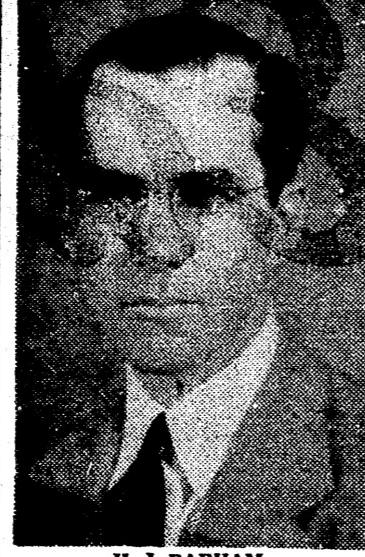
## MONTGOMERY WARD STORE MAKING RAPID STRIDES



Here is a front view of the Monroe Montgomery Ward store, 124 North Third street, which has rapidly become one of the city's most popular shopping centers since the opening of the remodeled building last April.

## Montgomery Ward Serves Monroe Trade Territory

### Heads Ward Store



H. J. BARHAM  
Mr. Barham has directed the progress of the expanded Montgomery Ward store since its opening last April.

#### ENOUGH EGGS

Most of the eggs of the codfish perish before hatching, else the seas would be packed with codfish. This fish lays 5,000,000 eggs at a time.

### Newly-Remodeled Building Dedicated To Service To Patrons

Montgomery Ward has long been a symbol of savings and quality to America's millions, and for over 15 years this great national institution has served the trade area of Monroe. However, during the past five months, since the opening in the company's newly remodeled building at 124 North Third street, the firm has had an unprecedented increase in business volume, according to Manager H. J. Barham.

Mr. Barham expressed himself as highly gratified with the upsurge of patronage since the opening of the addition to the store in its new location, and with the coming of the fall season expects business to reach a still higher peak.

In anticipation of this increase in business volume the Ward store has been stocked heavily with all lines of merchandise. Bought while prices were still low, Mr. Barham stated that his firm would be enabled to pass on substantial savings to its shoppers in the months to come.

In the Ward store, as its thousands of customers well know, can be found everything from the most simple items

of farm hardware to Milady's latest fashion in apparel.

The first floor is devoted to clothing for the family, women's hosiery and lingerie, men's furnishings and work clothes, underwear and shoes.

The mezzanine is given over to a smart fashion shop which features fashions directly from New York, where Ward's experienced buyers are continually on the job, selecting the season's newest creations from outstanding stylists.

On the second floor will be found a complete home furnishings store. Here is displayed the furnishings for every room in the house. Bedding, floor coverings, radios, refrigerators, washers and other items are included.

The top floor is devoted to a storage or surplus stock room. Here large reserves of merchandise are maintained.

There is 138 times as much territory in the ocean 12,000 feet below sea level as there is on land 12,000 feet above sea level.

## CRIPPLED TOTS GET ROTARY AID

### Nation-Wide Society Is Launched By Noted Civic Club

An interesting and instructive explanation of work among crippled children was given Rotary club members at their luncheon at Hotel Virginia, Thursday noon, by A. N. Robinson, chairman of the local unit of the Louisiana Crippled Children's Association. Mr. Robinson was introduced to the club members by Dr. P. M. Gayle.

Mr. Robinson stated that the crippled children's society in the nation originated in Rotary. Years ago a child of Edgar Allen, in Elyria, Ohio, was instantly killed when at play when an accident occurred. Other children in the same accident were left crippled for life.

This occurrence caused Mr. Allen to see the lack of aid given crippled children and he secured the assistance of the Rotary club of his home city to launch a project which grew so fast

that the group was later separated from Rotary and formed a nationwide crippled children's society.

The last conference held, Mr. Robinson said, was in London, in 1939, when delegates from 35 nations assembled to plan ways and means for aiding crippled juveniles.

In February, 1938, the Monroe group was formed and affiliated with the Louisiana Crippled Children's Association. Many important remedial operations have been performed here by a trained surgeon, Dr. Scott Hamilton. Because of the fact that this physician is now enrolled in the medical detachment of the army, the operations here have been halted for the time being, it was explained. A considerable amount of equipment for surgical purposes has been stored in safety vaults in Monroe banks.

Mr. Robinson referred to the acquisition of an "iron lung" through popular subscription which will be used when required in cases of infantile paralysis. The work among crippled children includes not only surgery but also it is sought to equip these unfortunate so they will be able to earn a livelihood.

The club voted to donate \$25 to aid in liquidating the indebtedness caused through holding of the boat races on the river recently.

Announcement was made that the

next club meeting will be a barbecue held in Bernstein park, Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Rotarian Pete Mulhearn was given a floral decoration as it was his birthday.

Visitors of the club were F. W. Dreyer, Fred Miller, Robert C. Smith and Sergeant Art Simon.

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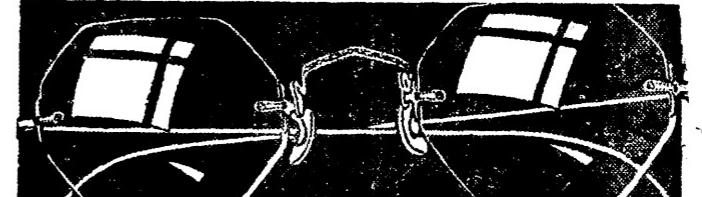
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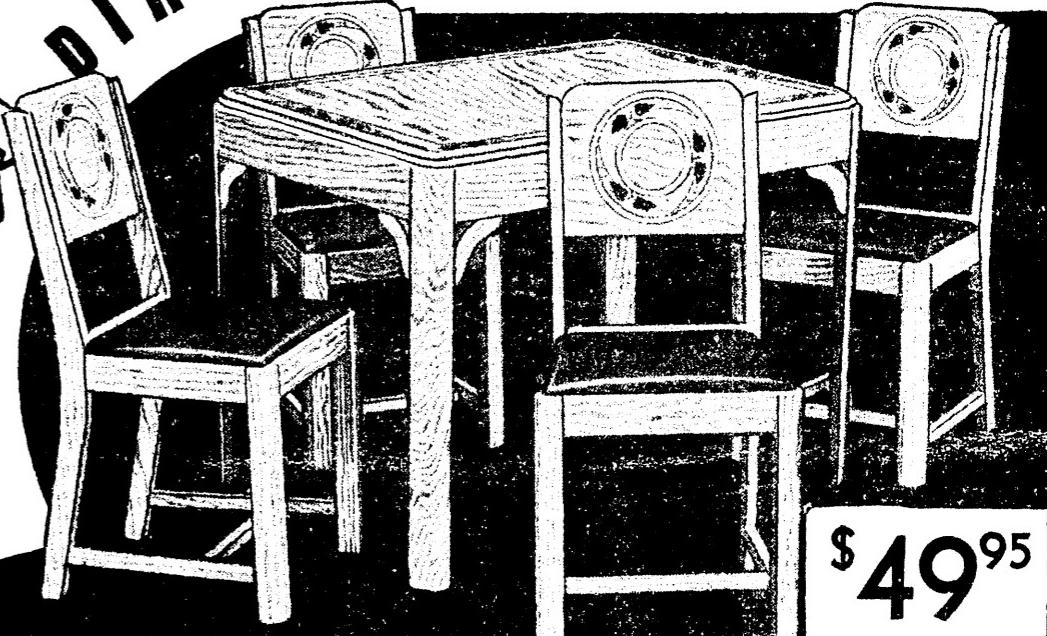
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